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COMMONS MAKES GOOD HEADWAY

Members Have Some Hope of Reaching Prorogation By July 18

LAND BILL IN COMMITTEE

Faulty Character of Civil Service Bill Pointed Out By Opposition

Ottawa, June 29.—The house this morning decided to adjourn over Dominion day, and to inaugurate Saturday sittings commencing July 4.

When consideration of the Dominion lands bill was resumed in committee, Dr. McIntyre (Strathcona) urged that a quantity of lands be set apart in aid of higher education in Alberta and Saskatchewan, as had been done in Manitoba. He moved an amendment to that effect, but Minister Oliver opposed it, on the ground that the time was inopportune. The present bill is to provide for the settlement of lands, and a university reserve should come under another head.

Hon. Mr. Foster and Messrs. Herron and Lake supported Mr. McIntyre's proposal, but Mr. Oliver would not recede from his position.

The House of Commons made good progress today with business, the Lands act being put through committee with the exception of the clauses dealing with pre-emption. The civil service bill was again taken up and considerably headway made. It is expected that both the bills will be ready for the consideration of the Senate on Thursday. If the present rate of progress is maintained the House will be able to prorogue on the 18th.

On the civil service bill, there was some discussion as to whether or not the Hansard reporters and translators came upder the bill. Mr. Gervais protested against the debates committee being wiped out by the bill, and insisted that the house should retain control of its servants. The question was permitted to stand. Mr. Fisher not being ready to press it at this time.

Mr. Monk complained that Mr. Fisher was merely pretending to bring about reform, but it was a timid, half-measure. The outside service was untouched by the bill, and the abuses that it was desired to correct by the bill were greater in that service than any at Ottawa. So soon as the bill came into force the outside service would have to carry the whole load of incapables forced upon it by the patronage system.

Mr. Fisher said the outside service would be brought in if it was found feasible. Mr. Foster suggested that the commissioners should be composed of men politically opposed. This would induce public confidence and strengthen the bill. Mr. Fisher admitted that the commissioners should be men above the welfare of the party. He thought the suggestion of Mr. Foster would bring the question of partizanship into the commission.

Progress was reported aed the House adjourned at 10.55.

According to a return presented to the House, Thomas Willson of Ottawa has received for gas buoys since 1906 $542,948, and the Ottawa Carbide company $81,000.

Black Hand Suspects.

Fernie, June 29.—Four more "black hand" suspects have been arrested by the local police here. This makes a total of fifteen who have been gathered in.

Montreal Aldermen's Fear

Montreal, June 29.—The Montreal city council at a meeting this afternoon voted down a proposal for the creation of a board of control, similar to Toronto, by a vote of 23 to 13. The members of the council were apparently afraid of losing the ward patronage if a board of control were elected.

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Japanese Native of Ottawa

Ottawa, June 29.—The first Japanese child born in Ottawa arrived on Sunday, when a daughter was born to the new Japanese consul general, Mr. Shimisu.

Brockville Public Park.

Brockville, Ont., June 29.—By a vote of 450 to 374 the freeholders of this city today declared in favor of the purchase from the Mallock estate of nine acres on the river front for a public park.

Doctor's Suicide

New York, June 29.—Dr. Peter V. Burnett, a specialist on diseases of the eye, ear and throat, committed suicide today by dropping from the roof garden of the Mount Sinai hospital in this city, where he was under treatment for a nervous break-down.

Many Immigrants.

Halifax, N.S., June 29.—The steamer Armenia arrived today with a big passenger list, mainly Hungarians and Austrians and a few Russians and Roumanians. They are chiefly farm laborers, and will leave for Manitoba, Saskatchewan nd Alberta points tomorrow.

Struck the Referee

Ottawa, June 29.—Fred Taylor, the Capital lacrosse player, who, in Saturday's match against Toronto struck Referee Carlind, was arraigned in the police court this morning on the charge of breach of the peace. Taylor pleaded guilty. The case was adjourned until Friday. Referee Carlind refused to prosecute, but the police say they will push the case.

FELL FROM CHIPPEWA DURING BOAT DRILL

James Walsh, a Vancouver Boy, Drowned on Yesterday's Trip

Port Townsend, Wash., June 29.—During the progress of a boat drill held aboard the steamship Chippewa when half an hour out from Victoria bound for this port this afternoon, James Walsh, a mess boy, aged 19, and a resident of Vancouver, B. C., fell overboard and was drowned.

Three minutes after the cry of "man overboard" a boat was in the water, and in four minutes reached the place where Walsh's cap was floating. No vestige of the unfortunate young fellow remained, and after pulling about in the vicinity for some time the boat returned to the ship and the search was abandoned.

Walsh had been employed in the steward's department for a fortnight, and was well thought of by his superiors and companions.

Seattle, June 29.—James Walsh, 19 years old, crew's mess boy on the Chippewa, was drowned when half an hour out of Victoria this afternoon. They were just about completing the fire drill, and he reached out to swing the boat in before the guy on the davitt had been loosened, and swung in under. He could not swim, and sank almost immediately and a lifeboat which was lowered only recovered his cap. Three life buoys thrown from the ship were within 100 yards of where the cap was found. Rev. W. T. Jordan of the Central Baptist church, Portland, was on board and held a memorial service, and $43 was taken up for the boy's mother, who lives at 515 Gore avenue, Vancouver, B. C. It was his thirteenth day of service on the vessel.

Hotel Burned

Canfield, Junction, Ont., June 29.—The Junction House was destroyed by fire this afternoon. The hotel had been refused a license this year, and the chattels were to have been sold by auction tomorrow.

Fires Around Cobalt.

Toronto, June 29.—News has reached here from northern Ontario that a dozen houses have been destroyed by bush fires in Haileybury and half a dozen mining property holdings at Cobalt were also destroyed.

Bishop Potter Seriously Ill.

Cooperstown, N. Y., June 29.—The condition of Bishop Henry C. Potter, of New York is tonight regarded by his physician as critical. The Bishop has been ill for some time with stomach and liver troubles and in his weakened condition was prostrated by the recent hot weather.

Dr. Osler for Lord Rector.

London, June 29.—Professor Wm. Osler, professor of medicine at Oxford university, has been selected as an independent candidate for the Lord Rectorship at Edinburgh university. Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, and Geo. Wyndham, former chief secretary for Ireland, are respectively the Liberal and Conservative candidates.

Fought Anti-Betting Bill

Albany, N.Y., June 29.—Two of the several racing associations in this state, the Coney Island Jockey club and the Saratoga association, filed statements with the secretary of state today showing the money they expended in opposing before the legislature the Agnew-Hart anti-gambling bill, the total aggregating over $13,000. The statements are certified to by the secretary of the Coney Island Jockey club and President Hitchcock for the Saratoga association. The statements show that the expenditures were for "retainers of counsel, fees and disbursements."

Germany's Scandal.

Berlin, June 29.—Prince Zu Eulenberg appeared today before a judge and jury to stand trial on charges of perjury and subornation of perjury in connection with the recent scandals, the revelation of which created a sensation. The proceedings, according to the lawyers engaged in the case, are likely to be greatly prolonged, possibly lasting for weeks, owing to the large number of witnesses to be examined. On the state's attorney's demands for the exclusion of the public and the press in consequence of the evidence endangering public morals, the judge had the courtroom cleared, not to be reopened until a verdict was reached.

TROOPS CHASE MEXICAN BANDITS

Raiders of Towns Now Scattered in Small Bands in Mountains

NO NEW PLACES ATTACKED

The United States Government Sends Troops to Keep Peace on Border

City of Mexico, June 29.—Up to this evening no news of any sort has been received at the capitol that would indicate that there had been a repetition of the disturbances at the towns of Visca and Las Vacas. From private telegrams of enquiry received here today it was made evident that sensational reports were in circulation in the United States. One story was that Jiminez, a town of 11,000 inhabitants, had been captured by revolutionists. At the interior department it was declared that the report was untrue.

Senor Corrall, vice president of the republic said today: "The trouble in the state of Coahuila is not a revolution, nor is it the commencement of one. A few ignorant men of the lower class have listened to the words of certain anarchiste Mexicans now residing in the United States and thereupon set about to rob, murder and pillage. They are now hiding in groups of twos, threes and fours somewhere in the wilds of Durango or Coahuila. The Rurales will catch them. They will be tried as common criminals."

Washington, June 29.—By direction of President Roosevelt, Secretary of War Taft, has issued orders to the commanding general of the department of Texas and San Antonio, to send a sufficient number of troops to Del Rio, El Paso and other points in Texas to aid the civil authorities in preserving order. This action was decided upon as a result of the request from the Mexican government that the United States do its utmost to present any violation of the neutrality laws.

El Paso, Texas, June 29.—According to information from a reliable source, official advices have been received in Jaures, across the river Rio Grande from this city, to the effect that the 2,500 federal troops, sent to Torreon, have taken the field in an effort to surround the parties believed to be responsible for the attacks on Viesca and Matamoras.

San Antonio, Tex., June 29.—Orders were received tonight at Fort Houston from Washington calling out United States troops to guard the Mexican border.

DOCTOR POISONED

Bottle of Ale Sent to Him Contained Cyanide of Potassium—Young Man is Suspected

Philadelphia, June 29.—The laying bare of a most sensational murder is promised by the authorities in the case of Dr. Wm. H. Wilson of this city, who died at his home on Friday night after drinking a portion of a bottle of ale which had been sent to him by express. An autopsy performed by the coroner's physicians, according to the coroner, proves conclusively that Dr. Wilson died of cyanide of potassium poisoning.

The ale came on Tuesday a week ago by express, and in the mail on the same day he received a typewritten letter purporting to have been sent by the Peter Schemm Brewing company of this city, informing him that a sample bottle of ale had been sent to him for trial. Investigation showed, according to the police, that Schemm brews no ale, and that the company never sent any such letters as that received by the physician.

Dr. Wilson had scarcely swallowed half a glass of the beverage when he was seized with convulsions and fell to the floor. It is believed that he immediately realized that he was the victim of poison, either by mistake of design. In his agony he requested his wife to keep that which was left. The police have learned they allege that Dr. Wilson attended during a fatal illness a member of the family of a young man who will be charged with being the poisoner.

AIR NAVIGATION

Count Zeppelin's Airship Surpasses All Previous Feats—Swiss Balloon Crosses Alps

Friedrichsruhen, June 29.—Count Zepplin's airship today stood brilliantly the longest trip it has yet undergone. It remained in the air for six hours and three-quarters, attaining an average speed of 34 1-2 miles an hour throughout, although for a short period the speed reached was 39 2-4 miles, the highest speed yet accomplished. Count Zeppelin expressed the hope that he would be able to undertake a 400 mile journey over land on Thursday.

Brig, Switzerland, June 29.—The Swiss Aero club's balloon Cognac has succeeded in crossing the Alps. This feat has often been attempted, but never before accomplished.

Teller Commits Suicide

North Bay, Ont., June 29.—Victor Denison, teller of the North Bay branch of the Imperial bank, was found in his room over the bank at 2.30 this afternoon with a bullet wound in his head, and died half an hour later. The discovery was made by Mrs. Ogden, wife of the manager who heard the shot and immediately ran to the teller's room, there to find him dying. On the floor was a loaded revolver with one chamber discharged. Denison was 25 years of age a son of Mrs. Denison, a widow of Toronto, and a nephew of Magistrate Denison of that city. No cause is given for Denison's act. He was in ill-health of late.

Boy's Fatal Fall

Chatham, Ont., June 29.—David Barr, 26 years old, fell from a cherry tree and was probably fatally injured.

Charged With Cattle Stealing

Ingersoll, Ont., June 29.—John and Ed. McCraw, brothers, are under arrest charged with stealing cattle from Dereham farmers.

Death of Thos. Ballantyne

Stratford, Ont., June 29.—Thos. Ballantyne, former speaker of the Ontario legislature, died here this morning after an illness of some weeks.

Italian Shot

Montreal, June 29.—In a street fight last night John A. Minera, an Italian, was shot in the abdomen by one of his companions at the corner of Mountain and St. James streets. The victim, who was 50 years old, died at the hospital. No arrests have yet been made.

Used Laudanum

Sarnia, June 29.—Two women berry picking on the Indian reserve, stumbled across the body of a dead man, supposed to be Alex. McAust, but whose place of residence is unknown. A bottle at the side of the body half filled with laudanum told the story.

Gallant Rescue

Port Colborne, Ont., June 29.—F. Johnston, government engineer, plunged into the Welland canal today and rescued Godfrey Stidstone from drowning, as he was going down for the third time. Mr. Johnston was 110 yards from the canal when he heard the shouts for help and rushed to the rescue in the nick of time.

PLANS DRAWN FOR GIGANTIC BUILDING

New York to Have Skyscraper Rivalling Eiffel Tower in Height

New York, June 29.—Plans for a new skyscraper, to be the highest structure in the world, were officially filed today by architects for the Equitable Insurance Society.

The projected building will be a sixty-two story structure, 909 feet from the curb to the tip of the tower, above which will be stepped a flagstaff 90 feet in height. The ball on the flagstaff will be fourteen feet higher than the 985 foot steel structure of the Eiffel Tower in Paris.

The building will occupy the site of the present structure of the company on Lower Broadway, covering an entire block, and will cost $10,000,000.

MEDICINE HAT BLAZE

Extensive Brick-Making Plant Burned, Causing a Loss of $60,000 to the Company

Medicine Hat, Alta., June 29.—The plant of the Red Cliff Brick company was burned last night, entailing a loss of $60,000 to the company, and a loss to the city of many thousands more, as building operations will be stopped for some months to come. The plant represented an investment of $125,000, the stock being held principally by Minneapolis and St. Paul parties. The works had an output of 30,000 bricks per day. The fire started in an overheated dry kiln, which could not be saved but the firemen succeeded in saving the machinery. The company expects to rebuild at once.

MR. BASTEDO NAMED

Will Represent Canada on International Fisheries Commission Having Control of Boundary Waters

Ottawa, June 29.—S. T. Bastedo, for many years fisheries commissioner of Ontario, and who last winter was appointed federal commissioner to negotiate with the various provinces over the question of provincial fisheries protection, has been appointed to represent Canada in the international fisheries commission, which will have control of the fisheries in boundary waters between Canada and the United States.

The position will practically be permanent, as the treaty is expected to be renewed on its expiration every four years. Dr. Jordan, of Stanford university, California, is the American representative of the commission.

Drowned While Bathing

Westworth, Ont., June 29.—Ralph May, son of E. J. May, lumber merchant, was drowned while bathing on Saturday.

Fires at Cobalt

Cobalt, Ont., June 29.—The plans of a dozen or more mines were destroyed by a bush fire that swept through here yesterday. The Temiscaming company lost their powder house.

Killed by a Tree

North Bay, June 29.—Allan Edmonds, ten years old, employed on the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario railway, was killed on Saturday by a falling tree.

Calgary's Dominion Fair

Calgary, Alta., June 29.—Lieutenant Governor Bulyea opened the Dominion fair here this morning. Ten thousand people were present. The weather was perfect.

Death of Sir Edward Malet.

London, June 29.—Sir Edward Baldwin Malet died here today. He was born in 1837. Sir Edward Malet was ambassador to Germany from 1884 to 1895.

From Champlain's Birthplace

Quebec, June 29.—The mayor of Brouage, France, has accepted an invitation to attend the tercentenary celebration as the special representative of Champlain's birthplace.

Farmer's Body Found

Merrickville, June 29.—A farmer named John Sufferon, of the township of Montague, while on his way home on Saturday night, fell or was thrown from his buggy. His lifeless body was found on the roadside.

NEW PRINCESS WAS LAUNCHED

Sister Ship to Princess Victoria Takes the Water on the Clyde

DESCRIPTION OF VESSEL

Princess Charlotte is Larger and Finer Edition of Present Fast Ferry

The new twin-screw steamer Princess Charlotte, which has been built by the Fairfield Shipbuilding and Engineering Company, Limited, for the Canadian Pacific Railway company's service between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle, was launched at noon on Saturday last according to a special cable to the Colonist. The vessel was named and released from the building berth by Mrs. R. Marpole, wife of the general executive assistant of the C.P.R. in British Columbia and after the launch a large party of guests, including Mr. and Mrs. Marpole and several representatives of the Canadian Pacific Railway company were entertained at luncheon by the Fairfield company.

The contract for the Princess Charlotte was placed in October, 1907 so that the work of construction has occupied about seven months. The fitting of the machinery and the completing of the vessel will require another month or two, but the Fairfield company whose reputation for expeditious as well as first class workmanship stands very high among British shipbuilding firms, will require the shortest possible time in which to complete the new steamer. They handed over on the 16th of this month to the British Admiralty H. M. S. Indomitable, the the most powerful cruiser in the world which they completed in about two years—the shortest time in which such a vessel has been built. They had at the last to crowd a great deal of work into a few weeks because the cruiser was required to convey His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales to Quebec for the Canadian Tercentenary celebrations, but they accomplished the task with the greatest credit to themselves. The new C.P.R. steamer launched on Saturday is now in their fitting out dock, previously occupied by the Indomitable.

The Priscess Charlotte.

The Princess Charlotte is a twin-screw steamer, 342 feet in length, 46 feet 6 inches in breadth and 26 feet in depth to shelter deck. She is divided into seven water tight compartments, while the orlop deck is also made watertight, adding greatly to the safety of the ship. There are altogether five decks, the orlop, the main and the shelter, the promenade and the shade deck.

The entrance to the passengers' accomodation is through watertight doors on the ship's side on the shelter deck forward. These entrances lead to a spacious hall, which is panelled in teak, the floor being laid in terra cotta and white rubber tiles. Aft of the main entrance is a large central hall, fitted with large seats upholstered in crimson plush. At the upper end of this hall is the main staircase, which leads to the passenger accommodation, and public rooms on the promenade deck. There are rooms for 176 first class passengers on either side of the shelter deck, the cabins being two and three berth, fitted in the most modern style, with patent folding lavatories, washstand, basins, sofa seats, etc.

The State Rooms.

On either side of the forward central hall are twelve special three-berth rooms, fitted in a first class manner, with electric radiators, sofa beds, wash stands, etc, and also four rooms fitted up as bridal chambers. Two of these four are panelled in light mahogany, and two in satin wood, with large brass bedsteads, dressing tables, wash, electric heaters, etc., and private bathrooms. At the after end of the shelter deck is a central hall. Similar to that forward and also a ladies' tea room neatly finished in light oak, with inlaid panels, and having blue and cream finishings. On the promenade deck there are two spacious halls in a large deckhouse, with a well in the centre of each, giving ample light to the halls below. Over the forward well there is a large ornamental dome-topped skylight, with opening side sashes for ventilation purposes.

On either side there is accommodation for 104 first-class passengers in two-berth rooms. These rooms are finished in a manner similar to the state rooms on the shelter deck. The staterooms on this deck and also a few on the shelter deck aft, have large rectangular horizontal sliding windows, with Venetian blinds, which can be utilized for ventilation purposes. At the fore end of the promenade deck house there is the observation room, which has very large plate-glass windows from which passengers will obtain a splendid view of the surroundings. This room is tastefully designed. The furnishings being of mahogany, with a flat white ceiling, which, combined with the elaborate electric light fittings, give a very fine effect. The leading features of this room are the "easy corners," writing tables and large basket chairs, stools and circular radiators with marble tops. The room is carpeted and upholstered in green with amber colored and gold fringed curtains.

At the after end of this deck is the smoking room, which is framed in light fumed oak with carved panels, and large plate glass windows. These windows, with the large circle-topped skylight overhead, give plenty of light and ventilation. The interior of the room is broken up into several bays, with tables and chairs upholstered in brown hide leather. The floor is laid with rubber tiles. At the fore-end of the room there will be a well equipped bar.

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MANY ENGINEERS TO VISIT THIS COAST

Arrangements for Reception of Canadian Mining Institute Party Here Under Way

The secretary of the Canadian Mining Institute, H. Mortimer Lamb, is completing the itineary of the Summer Excursion, to be made under the auspices of the institute, and which will be participated in by the Institution of Mining and Metallurgy, the Iron and Steel Institute, the Institute of Mining Engineers, and other important British, French, Belgian and German mining and engineering societies.

The excursions will leave Quebec August 24th for Sydney, where they will be the guests of the Mining Society of Nova Scotia. A visit will be paid to the steel works and coal mines at Sydney, and a public reception will be held. On the way back from Nova Scotia the party will visit the asbestos region of Quebec, and will then proceed to Montreal. After staying there for two days, Toronto and Niagara Falls will be visited, and on returning to the Ontario capital the excursionists will be the guests of the managers of the Toronto Fair. From Toronto they will proceed to Cobalt, after which an inspection of Moose Mountain and mines, near Sudbury, will be made.

The programme for the western part of the excursion, subject to such minor changes as circumstances shall show to be necessary, is as follows: Leave Winnipeg about noon of September 10, at Lethbridge on 11th; Frank, Blairmore and Coleman, Alta. on 12th. Fernie, morning of 13th, short stop at St. Eugene lead mine at Moyie and reach Nelson same night; leave Nelson on morning of Monday, 14th, lunch at Bonnington Falls, and arrive at Rossland in the evening. Tuesday, 15th, visit mines at Rossland, and attend banquet at night; Friday, 16th proceed to Trail in morning, visit Consolidated Mining and Smelting company's smelter and refinery, and reach Nelson in evening; Thursday 17th, at Nelson; Friday, 18th, proceed to Grand Forks, where Granby company's big copper smelter will be visited; mines at Phoenix Copper company's smelter at Greenwood, and same company's Mother Lode mine on 19th and morning of 20th; West Robson on night of 20th, where steamer will be taken up Arrow Lakes to Arrowhead, and thence by train to Revelstoke on 21st. Vancouver will be reached about noon on Tuesday, 22nd, and Victoria in the evening of same day. Wednesday and Thursday, 23rd and 24th, will be spent at Victoria. It is probable a business session will be held on Wednesday and at night a public reception will be held. For Thursday it is expected an outing will be arranged, similar to that when the American Institute of Mining Engineers' excursion party was in Victoria in the summer of 1905—an all day steamer trip with luncheon on board. The itinerary as it presents mapped out provides for a return to Vancouver on Friday, 25th, but the secretary of the western branch of the institute, E. Jacobs, hopes that it will be found practicable to visit the Tyee Copper company's smelting works at Ladysmith on the morning of that day, proceed thence to Nanaimo in the afternoon and go direct to Vancouver from Nanaimo on Saturday morning, 26th. A day will afterwards be spent at Banff and the Pacific Coal companies colliry at Bankhead be visited. It is understood the visitors will be banqueted by the government of Alberta before leaving that province on the return east.

It is announced that among those who are coming, and who will be the special guests of the Canadian Mining Institute are: Messrs. Hugh F. Merrett, head of the mining department in London of the firm of Messrs. Werner, Beit & Co., William Frecheville, Past President of the Institution of Mining and Metallurgy of Great Britain; R. E. Commans, of Messrs. John Taylor & Sons; W. McDiarmid, Secretary of the Institution of Mining and Metallurgy; Louis Detrez, President of the Assaciation des Ecoles Speciales, of Liege, Belgium; W. D. Wight, President of the South Wales Institute of Engineers; James Borrowman, Secretary of the Mining Institute of Scotland; John Ashworth, President of the Manchester Geological Society; Walter Johnson of Messrs Bell Bros., of Middlesborough; S. Cowper-Coles, one of the best known metallurgists in the world; T. Scott Anderson, of Sheffield, Eng., an authority on electric smelting; D. William Campbell, professor of Mineralogy at the Columbia University; and the editors of the London Mining Journal, of London Eng., and of the Iron Age, of New York.

Other visitors from Europe, not specially invited guests, will make the over seas party not less than fifty While it is too soon to determine how many in all will be in the party, it is believed that including members of the Canadian Mining Institute there will be at least 100 come to Victoria.

NEW PRINCESS IS LAUNCHED

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The Dining Room

Entrance to the dining saloon, in the main deck aft, is by a stairway from the central hall on the shelter deck. The saloon extends right across the ship and is capable of seating 133 persons. It is framed in white enamelled hardwood, relieved with gold mountings, and is finely lighted by large pateat pivoted sidelights. The floor is laid with oak parquetry. At the fore-end are two handsome sideboards with mirror backs. Forward of the saloon are the galley, pantry and storerooms, with all the latest facilities, such as electric dishwashers, lifts, etc., for catering for a large complement of passengers. At the fore-end of the main entrance is situated a barber shop, baggage room and the purser's office. At the extreme fore-end of the vessel is a large smoking and sitting room for second-class passengers, with a stairway leading to lavatory and sleeping accommodation for forty-eight persons, on the main and orlop decks respectively.

On the main deck amidships and forward there is space for carrying cattle or cargo, as may be found necessary, the access to this space being by large watertight cargo doors in the ship's side. At the extreme forward end is the mail sorting room, petty officers' rooms, and the windlass compartment. At the extreme after end is the steering compartment, fitted with Hastie's patent gear, which is controlled from the flying bridge and the shelter deck aft. The orlop deck, forward and aft, is required mostly for accommodation for officers, crew and engineers.

The shade deck forms a spacious promenade, to which access is obtained by ladderways at the forward and aft ends. On this deck ten large steel lifeboats will be carried. A large deckhouse is situated forward for the accommodation of captain and officers, with a pilot house from which the ship will be navigated. Above this there is the flying bridge, with steering standards and electric light projector. From this bridge also the vessel can be steered.

Fore and Aft Rigged

The steamer, which is fore and aft rigged, and has three funnels; has a very fast and handsome appearance. Her twin-screw propellers will each be driven by a set of inverted direct-acting triple-expansion engines, each set with four cylinders and four cranks. The engines are balanced in the Yarrow-Schlick-Tweedy system, and they have been specially designed so as to reduce to a minimum the vibration when running at high speed. They are of the open fronted type, the four cylinders of each being supported, on the side next the centre of the ship, by four cast-iron columns to which the crosshead guides are fixed, and on the outer side by six polished columns of forged steel. The main condensers are separate from the engines and are built. All the pumps are independent and steam drivers. The steam generating plant consists of six single-ended multitubular boilers of the cylindical type, designed for a working pressure of 180 pounds per square inch and fitted with Howden's system of forced draught and open stokeholds.

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NEW MASONIC LODGE IS CONSECRATED

Officers of Grand Lodge Officiate—Banquet Follows Ceremony

The consecration of the new Masonic Lodge, No. 49, which was very recently granted a dispensation by the Grand Lodge at its session in this city, with a membership of about forty took place last evening in the Masonic temple. The ceremony, which was most impressive in character, was conducted by the Grand Lodge officers, Mr. W. K. Houston, of this city, Grand Master, E. B. Paul; Deputy Grand Master, H. N. Rich; Rev. H. G. Fennes Clinton, of Vancouver, Grand Chaplain, and Mr. Burde, of Vancouver, Deputy Grand Junior Warden. District Deputy Grand Master Currie delivered the charge to Master Riddell in his most effective manner, and at the conclusion of the ceremony some 150 of the gentlemen present repaired to the Empress where they feasted in truly royal fashion. Past Grand Master McEwen presided; and the speakers included the Hon. Dr. Young, Mayor Hall, U. S. Consul Smith, Worshipful Master Peter Riddell, Major Currie, Rev. Mr. Clinton, Deputy Grand Master Henderson, Mr. E. B. Paul, Mr. Burde, Dr. Milne, Master of Lodge No. 1, Master Russell of Lodge No. 2, Mr. C. G. Duncan, Master of Lodge No. 24, Bro. Fox, of Lodge No. 49, E. E. Leeson, A. F. Griffiths, Past Masters Greer and Green, Mr. A. J. Brace, Chaplain of St. Andrews Lodge, Mr. Veitch, manager of the Royal bank and treasurer of the new Lodge, Mr. Miller, of the Inland Revenue Department, and Mr. F. T. Cromwell, of Portland, Ore.

The Premier, the Hon. Richard McBride sent his regrets, and Grand Master Houston was at an early hour called away owing to the illness of one of his partners. The officers of the new Lodge are as follows:

Peter Riddell Master; Mr. Fox, of Government street, the senior and Mr. E. E. Leeson, Junior Warden. There were probably 250 present at the ceremony of installation.

Roof Fire at Saw Mill

A roof fire at the premises of the Graham Lumber company, Garbally Road, occasioned a run by the fire brigade at 10.10 o'clock last night. The blaze was easily put out and no damage was done.

GANS vs. NELSON

Big Fight Takes Place at San Francisco in the Near Future

San Francisco, June 26.—With the 45-round battle between Joe Gans and Battling Nelson just nine days off, fight fans here are displaying a lack of interest so far as the betting goes. Gans opened at 10 to 7 and today there was so little Nelson money in sight that the odds were increased to 10 to 6 in order to coax a little more Nelson coin out of the pockets of the followers of the little Dane.

Gans is a little lighter than he wants to be and has increased, his intention being to do but little more heavy work this week, so that he can go it heavy the few days preceding the fight. Nelson weighs but 134½ and wants to put on a few more pounds before he gets into the training hard.

National

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 5, Chicago 3.
At Brooklyn—New York 7, Brooklyn 12.
At Boston—Philadelphia 9, Boston 2.
At St. Louis—St. Louis-Pittsburg game called off—wet grounds.

American

At New York—Boston 4 New York 1 (11 innings).
At Philadelphia—Washington 0, Philadelphia 4.

National

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	31	22	.638
Pittsburg	39	24	.619
New York	36	27	.581
Cincinnati	33	29	.516
Philadelphia	27	28	.481
Boston	27	37	.429
St. Louis	21	40	.375
Brooklyn	22	38	.356

American

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
St. Louis	37	25	.597
Cleveland	35	26	.579
Chicago	35	28	.556
Detroit	34	28	.458
Philadelphia	30	30	.492
Boston	38	27	.442
New York	26	34	.441
Washington	22	27	.440

Northwestern

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Spokane	32	21	.504
Tacoma	28	24	.538
Vancouver	30	27	.526
Seattle	28	32	.467
Butte	19	25	.432
Aberdeen	25	33	.431

Coast

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Portland	38	31	.551
Los Angeles	38	35	.521
Oakland	36	40	.474
San Francisco	37	43	.463

WILL RAISE LEVEL OF ELK AND BEAVER LAKES

Water Commissioner Asks the City to Appropriate the Necessary Money

To raise the level of the water of Elk and Beaver lakes the city council has been asked for $16,000, the amount required to do this work. Water Commissioner James L. Raymur has written the city council, pointing out that as the water in the lakes is getting to its low level the work should be done as soon as possible. This step has been under consideration for some time and the engineer has prepared the necessary plans therefor. By increasing the height of the dam so that it will be in readiness when the waters rise in the winter time, it is expected that the level of the lake will be raised about three feet six inches. The water commissioner also asks that the amount set out in the estimates, $1,500, for cleaning the shores of the lake, should be appropriated and that tenders be called for the sand required for renewing the filtering material in the filter beds.

As regards the two last items, the council adopted Mr. Raymur's suggestions, but the request as to the $16,000 will be considered by the streets, bridges and sewers committee at the next meeting of that body.

Mr. Raymur also reported that arrangements have been concluded with Mr. Toller whereby he will sell the city for a site for the proposed high level a portion of block 8, section 74, known as the "Eyrie," on St. Charles street, on the following terms: The city will pay $4,800 in cash for the rear 60 feet of the property, this to also include a right of way for the inlet and outlet pipes, with access at all times to make repairs, and to construct the tank. The city will also give Mr. Toller free water as long as he resides on the property and also connect with the septic tank already constructed. Mr. Toller, on his part agrees to at once remove the house from its present site to some other portion of the property. The council accepted the proposition as made with Mr. Toller and the necessary agreement will be prepared and duly signed. This high level tank will supply the Rockland avenue section of the city with water under the new distribution system now being installed. The tank will have a capacity of 100,000 gallons and will be fed from the Yates street pumping station. The pumps supplying the tank will have a capacity of handling that amount of water every twenty-four hours. From the tank pipes will be laid to those sections which, owing to their elevation cannot be reached from the Smith's Hill reservoir.

It is stated that some of the neighboring property owners are averse to the high level tank located on the spot chosen, not only on the grounds that such a tank would be detrimental to the good appearance of the neighborhood, but because they fear that damage might subsequently result from any accident to the tank whereby the water would be let loose. Mr. Adams, the city's water expert, has prepared a pretty design for the structure which will be either of steel or concrete and steel. The city is now calling for tenders for both classes of tank.

To the communication from the city solicitors stating that the contention that the city cannot legally supply sections outside the limits with water while users within the city are unable to get an adequate supply is not correct, Messrs McPhillips and Heisterman, who have threatened that unless the city ceased supplying such outside service they would bring an action to restrain the corporation, have replied, acknowledging receipt of the city's answer. They do not state, however, what steps they now propose to take, whether to carry out their threat of legal proceedings or allow the matter to drop.

QUEBEC CELEBRATION

Arrangements for Religious Services By Various Churches—Commission Transacts Business

Quebec, June 29.—In common with the other religious bodies of the country, it is understood that the Methodist church of Canada will arrange for special thanksgiving services in connection with the tercentenary, and that this important religious body will probably be represented here at such services by Rev. Chancellor Burwash, of Toronto, Rev. T. J. Mansell, of Dundas, Rev. W. Timberlake, president of the Montreal conference, and Rev. G. Williams, pastor of the Methodist church in Quebec.

There is a suggestion that representatives of the Fraser Highlanders be specially invited to attend the thanksgiving services in St. Andrew's church here, and that possibly Rev. Dr. Teuvat and Rev. Dr. Gordon (Ralph Connor) of Winnipeg, will take part in the service.

A meeting is shortly to be held to arrange all details for the service in the English church cathedral to be attended by the Prince. The Lord Bishop of Quebec is to be home from England. The solemn mass on the Plains is expected to be a most imposing affair, and it is understood that it will be attended by the Duke of Norfolk, premier duke of Great Britain.

A great deal of very important business was transacted by the national battlefield commission which closed its sitting here at 1:30 o'clock on Saturday afternoon. The legal notarial and other business of detail occupied much of the attention of the commission, and much miscellaneous correspondence was received and disposed of, including offers and suggestions of various kinds Those present at the meeting were Mayor Garneau, president; Hon. H. A. Turgeon, Sir G. E. Drummond, Col. Denison and B. E. Walker, of Toronto, and Hon. A. Taschereau, members of the commission, also Col. Hanbury Williams, Jos. Pope, C. M. G., J. M. Courtney, treasurer, and J. B. Chouinard, secretary.

Ninety-four Years Old.

New Westminster, June 29.—An interesting birth-day party was given Friday afternoon and evening at the residence of H. L. DeBeck, who has reached her ninety-fourth birthday, and is still hearty and in the full enjoyment of her faculties. She came to this city 39 years ago and during her long residence here has been accorded the deepest respect from all with whom she came in contact. At the gathering at the residence of her eldest son covers were spread for thirty-six people, all of whom were either children or grandchildren of Mrs. DeBeck, and later the great grandchildren arrived on the scene, which increased the numbers to sixty-five. The tables were beautifully decorated with pink and white roses and asparagus ferns. After the feasting, amusements of all kinds were indulged in and the evening was made most enjoyable for the young people as well as for the aged lady, who received congratulations from all sides on he fact of her having passed another mile post on her long span of years.

Bodies for China.

Montreal, June 29.—Judge Davidson has granted the petition of local Chinamen for the removal of twenty-one bodies of their compatriots from Mount Royal cemetery to China for burial.

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Montreal Stabbing Case.

Montreal, June 29.—Rossor Shumloiner, a boy of Jewish parentage, 14 years old, was stabbed with a knife in the chest and arm, as the result of a quarrel he had last night with Louis Plante. Shumloiner is now in the hospital, and it is believed he will recover. Plante is under surveillance.

The steamer Governor of the P.C. S.S. company arrived last night from San Francisco with a large complement of passengers. She landed 40 tons of general freight here.

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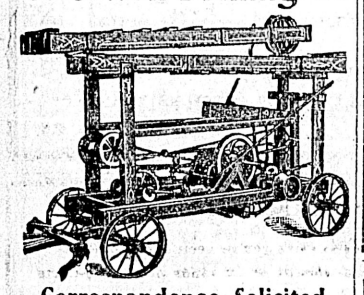

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Juror's Qualifications.

Montreal, June 29.—Before Judge Guerin today objection was made to a German Jew juror on the ground that English was not his native tongue. The objection was overruled, as he was a British subject and used the English language in his business. If the objection were allowed, the judge said, Scotch and Irish people would be subject to the same ruling.

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Tickets may be had at Wescott Bros., Yates street, and E. B. Jones' grocery, corner Cook and North Park street.

LEFT FOR CALGARY

J. E. Smart Has Gone to Attend Dominion Exhibition

J. E. Smart secretary of the B. C. Agricultural association, left for Calgary on Sunday. He has gone for the purpose of attending the Dominion exposition. Mr. Smart's trip was arranged primarily for the purpose of advertising the exhibition which will be held in Victoria this fall. For this purpose he has taken with him a large amount of appropriate literature which will be judiciously distributed among those attending. It also is his intention to thoroughly investigate the system adopted in the management of the show in order to secure any pointers that may be of use in the conduct of the forthcoming Vancouver Island fair. Mr. Smart expects to be away, approximately, a fortnight.

Concerning the S. P. C. A.

The hon. secretary of the S. P. C. A., Mr. Thos. W. Palmer, will be absent from the city in July, August and September. All communications during that time should be addressed to the president, Mr. A. J. Dallain.

Personal Mention

Mr. F. T. Cromwell, of Portland, Ore., who has been making a business trip through the Nechaco valley and the upper Fraser country, leaves town this morning for a hurried trip to Portland, returning tomorrow.

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Mr. N. R. F. Redhead, of London, Eng., is registered at the Empress.

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Major Henceage, of Thetis island, registered last evening at the Empress.

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Miss W. T. Smith, of London, Eng., registered last evening at the Empress.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. McN. Shaw, of Toronto, registered last evening at the Empress.

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LOCAL FIRM HAD NO CHANCE TO TENDER

Complain That Fire Wardens Passed Them Over—The Council Session

That the fire wardens should have first called for tenders for the two chemical engines which it recently recommended the city council to purchase, and not given two American firms the whole opportunity of supplying the apparatus, is the complaint made to the city council by Findlay, Durham & Brodie, local agents for Merryweather & Sons, Limited, of London, Eng., who it is stated, had no chance to make a tender.

The matter came before the city council at last night's meeting, when a communication from Messrs. Findlay, Durham & Brodie was read. They stated that they were very much surprised and annoyed to hear that the order for two horse-drawn chemical engines had been placed without their being given an opportunity to quote prices. They point out that for more than a year there had been a recommendation from the fire department to purchase one Merryweather motor chemical engine for which they had, at different times, secured by letter and cable, quotations and specifications and they had had many interviews with the fire chief and members of the special committee with regard to the matter.

Supplied Both Kinds

On the last occasion shortly before the fire wardens placed the order, Messrs. Findlay, Durham & Brodie were particular to mention that while strongly advocating the motor apparatus, which is being exclusively adopted by some of the leading cities of the United Kingdom, it would make no difference as Merryweather & Sons supplied both motor and horse-drawn engines. The firm claim that they cannot understand why, when Merryweather's motor chemical engine is specified for purchase, the fire wardens should place the order elsewhere without giving them any notification or invitation to tender when it was decided to adhere to the horse drawn apparatus. They claim that local firms should receive at least fair and courteous treatment, and that an explanation is due them.

Ald. Pauline was emphatic in his statement that the local firm should have received an opportunity to tender and he thought that the action of the fire wardens certainly called for an explanation. How the local firm could have been passed over, particularly after having been in communication with the council, was, he confessed, a remarkable thing.

Did Not Know

Ald. Fullerton, chairman of the fire wardens, explained that the last council had pledged itself to the Merryweather engine, but this council by adopting the report of the fire wardens evidently thought otherwise. So far as he was concerned he did not know that the Merryweather company made horse-drawn apparatus. The fire wardens were impressed with the necessity of haste in augmenting the fire fighting apparatus and the fire chief was instructed to communicate with the American companies. If he had known that the city could have obtained the horse-drawn apparatus from the Merryweather company he would have been in favor of giving them a chance, but the fire chief had stated that if the apparatus was to be secured in the least possible time either of the two American concerns would have to supply it.

Ald. Mable believed that the fire chief was aware that the Merryweather company supplied the horse-drawn apparatus, while Ald. Hall was also surprised that the fire wardens had overlooked the local agents of the Merryweather company. The fire wardens had seen fit to call for tenders for hose, but not for the chemical apparatus. It may not have been the fault of the fire wardens, but apparently there had been a mistake somewhere.

Need of Haste

Ald. Cameron also considered that a mistake had been made in not calling for tenders and Mayor Hall was of the opinion that if the fire wardens did err, it was because they felt the necessity to at once adding to the city's fire fighting apparatus and were seized of the fact that no delay should occur. But he felt that in every possible instance the council should always give the local firms the chance to tender.

Referring to the new system of fire alarms which it is proposed to instal in the city, Ald. Fullerton asked if the council would also desire that tenders be called for, but his question was not answered and the subject was dropped.

The fire wardens recommended that the city engineer's department be instructed to carry out the work of obtaining all necessary levels and surveys in connection with the salt water high pressure system. This recommendation will be acted upon so that the necessary details may be ready when the work of installing the new system commences.

Another Protest.

Senator Macdonald entered a protest against the charge made by the city for killing of pests on his property. He stated that he had received a notice from the sanitary inspector previous to which he had done everything possible to exterminate the pests, having engaged a man for just that work and after the notice had been received from the city and the city had started on the work of killing the pests he still continued the work. Whether the city workmen did any good, Senator Macdonald doubts, for the caterpillar pests were as bad as ever. In view of the fact that he had done everything possible to eradicate the pests he is unable to see where the city had any right to impose a charge upon him. The matter was referred to the sanitary inspector for report.

The request of Messrs. Lees & Mason, boat house proprietors, to be allowed to remove their boat house from its present position to some convenient position on the causeway and to be allowed to put a small movable gangway ashore for access from the embankment was referred to the streets, bridges and sewers committee. Messrs. Lees & Mason stated that they have been in their present location for several years but the property has been sold and will probably be required for building purposes in which event their boat house will be shut off. They intend greatly altering their boat house so that it will not be a detriment to the surroundings at the causeway. Their request was supported by a petition signed by ten prominent residents of the city.

Local Improvements

The city assessor reported that as no petitions against the proposed work of local improvements had been filed within the required period the city could go ahead with the work on McPherson and Fullerton avenues, and part of Langford street where that street is 66 feet wide. On that portion of Langford street from Russell street westward five owners representing an assessed value of $8700, have petitioned against the proposed work, sufficient to prevent the improvements being gone on with. For those streets against the work on which no petitions have been filed, the requisite by-law will be prepared and the work proceeded with.

Major A. W. Currie wrote asking if it is the city's intention, as last year, to donate a cup for competition in this year's rifle matches. The matter will be left in the hands of the mayor.

Thomas W Palmer, secretary of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals wrote thanking the council for its grant of $50 towards the funds of the society.

The garbage committee reported recommending that the city purchase fifty feet of one inch hose to be used in washing down the city wharf.

Hospital Directors

The following gentlemen, all of whom, with the exception of Mr. Martin, were on the board last year, were appointed to the board of directors of the Jubilee hospital. The city has the right to appoint five persons on the board. In place of Mr. Brett, who served last year, J. B. Martin, representing the trades and labor council was selected. The five are James Forman, Chris. Spencer, R. S. Day, D. E. Campbell and J. B. Martin.

The city will construct a permanent sidewalk on the south side of Pandora avenue, between Cook and Chambers streets, and a boulevard on both sides of Pandora (including maintenance), between Quadra and Chambers street, with curb and gutters, as a work of local improvement.

The city engineer reported that the cost of the wooden block pavement on Gordon street, between Humboldt and Broughton street, would be $10,895, of which the city's share would be $3,830.10.

The city solicitor informed the council that the proceedings against the corporation by the Daverne and Keating estate have been withdrawn and the plaintiff has paid the costs of the corporation.

Local improvement by-laws No. 20 and 24, which were considered at the last meeting of the council, were put through the final stages. They will be finally reconsidered and passed at next week's meeting.

Street Improvements.

The report of the streets, bridges and sewers committee was adopted as follows:

Re communication of George McCandless, desiring to know whether the city would be responsible for part of the cost of a stone wall he proposes to build in front of his residence on Queen's avenue. Recommended that Mr. McCandless be informed that the council cannot see its way to contribute any proportion of the cost for the construction of this wall.

Recommended that sewers be constructed on the following street, viz.: Pandora avenue, between Ash street and Belmont avenue; estimated cost, $1,800. Hulton street, southerly from Oak Bay avenue; estimated cost, $150. Pendergast street, between Vancouver street and Cook street; estimated cost, $760.

Recommended that a plank sidewalk be laid down on Lewis street, west side; estimated cost, $60.

GOES FROM VICTORIA TO NOTED GATHERING

Rev. Father Caine to Be Present at Great Ecclesiastical Congress in London

Rev. Father Clement Caine, who is going to England via New York, where in some 8 or 10 days he will probably embark for Liverpool on the SS. Umbria, leaves on tonight's steamer to make the first stage of his long journey. He will be accompanied for a considerable distance by Rev. Father Galligan, the rector of St. Patrick's church in Chicago, who is traveling for his health, as he is suffering from a severe stroke of paralysis. Rev. Father Caine, who goes abroad for business as well as family reasons, will probably be back in this city within from four to six months. In September Rev. Father Caine will attend a Eucharistic congress in London, which will be conducted on somewhat the same lines as the Pan-Anglican congress, which has just closed, also in London. Some six or seven cardinals, including Cardinal Logue, of Ireland, Cardinal Moran, of Sydney, Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, and several of the Belgian and Italian cardinals, besides leading representatives of the R. C. church, all over the world, will be present.

Among the subjects that will be discussed it is practically certain that Modernism, or the attempt to bring the church more into harmony with the higher realms of modern philosophic thought, will be subjected to a most thorough and drastic discussion and criticism, and while it is unlikely that newspaper men will be permitted to attend, official and fairly full reports of the proceedings will be daily supplied to the newspapers of Great Britain, Europe and the world by ecclesiastical secretaries. It is also foreshadowed that Archbishop Francis Bourne, of Westminster, will upon this important occasion, a unique event in the annals of the church, be raised to the dignity of the cardinalate, receiving the beretta from the hands of Pope Pius the Tenth at Rome.

At the moment and for some time past England lacks a cardinal, although she has had in no remote past four cardinals in the persons of Messeigneurs Wiseman, Manning, Newman and Vaughan.

Cardinal Newman enjoyed a distinction which although it cannot be said to be altogether uncommon is nevertheless very rare in the Roman Catholic church, in having been advanced to this high dignity, although he held no see, and he owed this very unusual distinction to his lofty intellectual attainments. He lived a very retired life in the sequestration of the oratory at Edgbaston, which is situated just outside of Birmingham, where he died.

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THE SPOILS SYSTEM

That "to the victors belong the spoils" is an article in the political belief of many people, who believe themselves to be good citizens. When the more or less immortal Flaherty of Texas asked: "What are we here for, if not the offices?" he expressed what is in the minds of a good many people, only they may not be quite so outspoken about it as he was. It is not altogether unreasonable that the friends of the party in power should expect and should receive political favors. It is human nature to be disposed to help one's friends rather than one's enemies, and no matter in what country or what age you may investigate, you will find that favors have been distributed by those in power with a very considerable degree of regard to favors extended to or expected by them. But between a reasonable recognition of what is due political friendship and what is known as the spoils system there is a wide gulf. Other things being equal, no one would object to a government giving appointments or patronage to its supporters in preference to its opponents; but unfortunately, as a rule, other things are too often not equal. Friendship too often counts very much more than worth in the making of appointments. It almost always counts more than anything else in the distribution of what is known as "patronage." The result is that unqualified men are placed in positions of trust and the country in many cases pays very much more for supplies furnished than they are worth. There is a third aspect of the case, and it may be described as the overloading of the public departments with people of very mediocre qualifications. Testifying before Judge Cassels, Col. Gourdeau, of the Marine and Fisheries Department, said that perhaps $200,000 had been lost in the past few years by reason of the existence of the "patronage list," that is because the officials of the department were debarred from purchasing supplies in the open market and were restricted to a certain number of business houses, all of which were friends of the party in power. If this is true of one department, what would be the amount which has been lost by all the departments in the same period, and what would be the aggregate lost for the last ten, fifteen or twenty years? Of course, there is no way of getting at it, but the amount must run up into the millions. The investigations of the Civil Service Commission showed how officials are multiplied in the departments, and quite needlessly. This is done, not because the ministers are bad men, willing to rob the country, but because the infamous notion is abroad in the land, that political service is properly paid for by appointments to office, either of the person rendering the services, or some one recommended by him. The consequence of these things is not merely that the public treasury is depleted without value being received for the money paid, but the whole tone of political life is lowered. We have seen a session redolent of scandals, and all because the pernicious spoils system has for the time being got the upper hand in Canada.

In view of these things it seems to be the duty of those public men, who have a higher ideal of the duties of public life than is exhibited by the abuse of patronage, to take steps to reduce the opportunities for such an abuse. The passage of a good civil service bill would accomplish much in that direction, but the regulation of the purchase of supplies is not so easily managed. Perhaps with a civil service rendered more independent than it is at present there would be fewer facilities for the interference of politicians. It might be impossible for any one to say to an official, as was said to Mr. Noble: "If you cannot certify to that account, you can hand in your resignation." The tenure of office ought not to be at the will of any politician, and so long as a man is doing his duty, he should be safe from interference.

The advantage of the abolition of the spoils system would be very great. We have frequently said that, in our judgment, most public men would be glad to be relieved of the necessity of satisfying the demands of their supporters, but the only way in which this relief can be satisfactorily given is to take it out of their power to handle public expenditures as a matter of patronage, and to make the civil service independent of ministerial control as far as is possible. If this were done, Canadian public life would be much the gainer, because governments would be able to give their attention to the questions of policy, which arise from time to time, right consideration of which is impossible when they are approached through an atmosphere reeking with graft. In a new country like ours where so many things have to be done in the way of development projects, where large sums have to be expended in public works, such as the National Transcontinental Railway, it is difficult to avoid the misuse of patronage. We are not so absurd as to suggest that all Liberals are dishonest and all Conservatives honest. Whether things are better now or worse than they were under previous regimes is neither here nor there. The public expenditure is very much larger now than it formerly was, there is much greater activity in every line, and hence the opportunities for wrong-doing are more numerous. But no good result would come of comparisons. It is not that the Liberal party is wrong; it is not that the Conservative party is over-critical; it is the whole system that is out of tune, and needs to be set right. It is no answer to charges of corrupt dealing, to say that some one else was corrupt. The law of Canada ought to be so framed that the opportunities for corruption would be reduced to a minimum. We will close these observations by a quotation from a speech by the late Carl Schurz:

The general, or even an extensive, use of the public offices and employments as party spoil cannot fail to make our party contests, which should be only struggles for the prevalence of different principles and policies, in great measure scrambles for public plunder; it is almost certain in the long run to make the most selfish and unscrupulous element in the party organization, which is usually the most alert and active, the most influential one, and then that leader of the party who succeeds in becoming the general distributor of the spoil will, as paymaster, easily develop into the boss, with a well-organized machine of spoils-fed henchmen behind him. The party leader will then be, not what he should be, a leader of opinion, but a mere captain of organization; the organization will be held together by what is picturesquely called "the cohesive power of public plunder," and it will be controlled by the ever alert element of the habitual spoils-hunters. This means the utter demoralization of party activity, making the party unfit to be an agency of good democratic government—in fact, making it a danger to democratic institutions.

CONDITIONS IN INDIA.

The condition of things in India is giving a great deal of anxiety. At a banquet given by the Indian Civil Service Dinner Clubs, Lord Morley, Secretary of State for India, made a speech, which has attracted a good deal of attention. The occasion of the banquet was the fiftieth anniversary of the taking over by the Crown of the government of India, which up to that time had been vested in the East India Company, Lord Morley said much that is of interest, but it is impossible to print in full his observations in the space at our disposal. He described the present moment as critical. He said that dark clouds have suddenly arisen on the horizon, but he did not think they portend an earthquake. Yet he added: "I am trying to feel my way through the most difficult problem, the most difficult situation that I think responsible governments, you, and I, and all of us, ever had to face." He acknowledged the existence of "a living movement" among the people of India and defined it as "a movement for objects which we ourselves have taught them to think desirable objects." Then he went on to say: "And unless we somehow or other can reconcile order with satisfaction of those ideas and aspirations, the fault will not be theirs. It will be ours. It will mark the breakdown of what has never yet broken down in any port of the world—the breakdown of British statesmanship." He said that he did not believe in a policy of pure repression, and referred to historical instances in which such a policy had utterly failed. After speaking of the establishment of universities in India he said: "The natural operation of knowledge and reflection carries men of different structures of mind, different beliefs, different habits and customs of life into strange and unexpected paths." In other words the application of European education to the Indian mind has produced not the results anticipated by Lord Macaulay seventy years ago, who thought the universities would Christianize India in thirty years, but a new attitude of mind towards public problems, for which there is no precedent to aid the government in dealing with it. He spoke of two measures recently passed, by which it is hoped the spread of sedition and the repetition of outrages may be prevented. One is the Press Act. This provides that where a newspaper prints articles inciting to murder or violence or the use of explosives, the local government may order the seizure of the press, the owner of which may have an appeal to the High Court. He said that this measure has been met by a great outcry in England as an interference with the liberty of the press, but he declined to be influenced by such criticism. The newspaper articles to which he referred had been described as mere froth; but he added "it is froth stained with blood." He took the position that newspaper articles inciting people to murder and outrage should be treated as a part of the crimes resulting from them, and be punished accordingly. Lord Morley refuses to believe that a great body of reasonable and educated people in India are not on the side of the government. He conceded that a dark and ugly moment is now present, but he said: "We shall get through it, but only with self-command and without any quackery or cant, whether it be the quackery and cant of order or the quackery and cant of sentiment."

The other measure referred to by Lord Morley was the Explosives Act, which has been considered necessary because of the occurrences of several serious dynamite outrages. In regard to this we quote the remarks of Lord Minto at the Vice-Regal Council:

I have to desire to minimize the dangers of the present time. They are evident enough. I know well the anxieties that suspicions of subterranean plots bring to all loyal men and women of whatever race of creed. No one can say how far the poison has spread. I only ask that the nature of it should not be misunderstood, that the canker we have discovered should be localized, and that we should not jump to the conclusion that it has spread beyond the control of legitimate remedies. What those remedies should be has been for some weeks under the careful consideration of the Government, and the two bills, which we are about to pass are the results of our deliberations. My colleagues will support me when I say we have had no lack of advice. The public have been told that we are weak, that we have failed to maintain order, that the glory of England has departed, and that strong measures have been neglected. I am no believer in compliance with hysterical demands in the hour of danger. I maintain that the strength of the British Raj has been built up upon justice. Its administration, Heaven knows it, has been no weak rule, but has been a just one and will continue to be so. It has been with a heavy sense of responsibility that the government has recognized that the law of the land has not been strong enough to enable us to cope with the present emergency. We have felt we must have further powers.

We have had two main points before us, how best to deal with bomb outrages and conspiracies connected with them and how to preclude the evil influences which have done so much to inspire them. The machinery we have decided to adopt is before you in the two bills which Sir Harvey Adamson has introduced. In them we have, after careful consideration, empowered judical rather than executive procedure. We have preferred to act by legislation, but another course was open to us. We might have proceeded by the issue of an ordinance. We should have saved time by doing so, and the condition of affairs demanded prompt and decided action; and now, if asked why, when we decide to proceed by legislation, we did not let that legislation follow the normal course of publication—reference to a select committee, report, and final discussion—I unhesitatingly answer that the urgency of the case would not allow of it. As it is we have incurred delay, but in doing so we have secured the opportunity of explaining our position, which we should have lost in procedure by Ordinance. It is my firm belief that the government of India occupies an infinitely stronger position in legislating as it has done today in open court than if it had attempted to act summarily during the first shock of the tragedy of Muzaffarpur.

Sir Bamfylde Fuller, lately governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam, has written a letter to the London Times on the subject of Indian unrest, which he attributes to the vacillating manner in which the government has been administered. He says that discipline has been relaxed, and the result is that in some parts of India ladies cannot take an evening drive for fear of insult, that respectable Mohammedans are subjected to indignities and that there is "an active carnival of agitation." Like Lord Morley he attributes the change to the influence of European education upon the Indian mind, and also like him he recognizes that this change was to have been expected. We quote the concluding paragraph of his letter:

Do I believe, then, that, if the situation had been met with more wisdom, with greater firmness, India could have long continued unchanged? Certainly not. For the last fifty years we ourselves, in schools and colleges, have been engendering and fostering aspirations which are gradually restoring to the country its political self-respect. We have recognized, though not perhaps always quite adequately, that scope must be afforded to these aspirations, and that our legislation must conform more and more to the wishes of the educated classes, even at the cost of forgoing a just interference on behalf of the poor man. Our sails must be trimmed with increasing care to the wind on popular opinion, a wind which must be reckoned with as a growing force. But the whirlwind under which India is now tossed and torn has, so to speak, come about rather by accident than by evolution, and has been generated by mistakes in the art of government. Human nature has been ignored, experience disregarded, and we are paying the penalty. It is probably not too late, by courage and firmness, to exercise the storm; and it is the earnest hope of all well-meaning men in India, of whatever caste or creed, that the government will now take to governing.

We have given up considerable space to this question, but it is one of enormous importance, in which Canadians have as deep an interest as the people of the United Kingdom.

If after all the great flourish of trumpets the French treaty is not ratified, our Liberal friends will be a sadly disappointed lot.

We join our evening contemporary in expressing the hope that campers in the woods will be exceedingly careful to extinguish their fires.

It is alleged that a band of anarchists has been unearthed in Seattle. As a sensation this should serve a useful purpose during the dog days.

One Sunday it was 86 in the shade in San Francisco. The summer thus far in Victoria has been unusually cool and pleasant.

The many friends, made by Mr. S. T. Bastedo when on his prolonged visit to Victoria, will be gratified to hear of his appointment as Canadian Commissioner to deal with the fishing privileges in international waters.

The present summer seems to be very prolific in severe storms. In some parts of America it is getting to be more dangerous than it is on the sea. Our seafaring friends will, if this sort of thing keeps up, be drawing up a new prayer "for those in peril on the land."

The total receipts of gold from Alaska at Seattle for the month of June were $5,000,000, this being shipments of the first of the season's clean-up. The far north is living up to its reputation as a gold-producer very well. There must be vast deposits of the yellow metal yet undiscovered in that district, as also on the Canadian side of the line.

Scandals have developed at Ottawa so rapidly of late that it is difficult to keep track of them. The very latest has to do with the militia department, it being charged that Sir Frederick Borden unduly favored a company supplying a sight for rifles. One hardly knows now whether the militia department or the marine and fisheries department is entitled to first place for "disclosures" this session.

A Montreal judge has denounced the labor bureaus of that city as "dens of robbery," expressing the opinion that it was high time the Dominion government exercised effective control over that kind of business. Not the least of the sins which the Ottawa government will have to answer for is that of allowing a system to grow up which permits unscrupulous agents to fatten at the expense of the unsophisticated foreigner.

There were two band concerts on Sunday afternoon, and both at the Gorge and Beacon Hill park there were immense crowds of well-dressed, well-behaved people. The wisdom of arranging for music on Sundays was given emphatic demonstration. Not only is the population of Victoria larger at the present time than ever before, but there are many transient visitors in the city, especially on Sunday, and it is imperative that some form of entertainment should be provided for their pleasure. The band concerts have come to stay, and the city council may as well realize that fact and arrange their appropriations accordingly.

And now all eyes will be turned towards Denver, where the great Democratic convention for the nominating of a presidential candidate is being held. It is said that the Bryan forces are in full control and that the famous Nebraskan will be nominated on the first ballot. This is Bryan's last chance, and it may be taken as a certainty that he will put up a tremendous fight against Taft. But win or lose, Bryan must ever be regarded as a great national figure. No man can remain in the cool shades of opposition for a period of nearly twelve years without a loss of prestige in the eyes of the country, and not possess the characteristics of greatness.

The Times says: "It is not correct to say the Dominion government, in consequence of political obstruction, has abandoned the provisions of the Election Bill." This is an exceedingly ingenious sentence. A casual reader might take it is an assertion by Mr. Templeman's organ that none of the provisions of the Election Bill had been dropped; but that is not what it says and is not what our contemporary means down in the bottom of what passes for the heart of a newspaper. It is simply a statement that the government has not dropped any of the provisions of the bill on account of political obstruction. This is a statement, which in the nature of things cannot be disproved. If one man should be pounding another into a jelly, and the jellified man should give up, and afterwards explain that he did so, not because he was getting a thrashing, but because his wife's great uncle had the measles, there would be no way of proving that he was not telling the truth. The point for the people to bear in mind is that certain iniquitous provisions were dropped from the bill, that they were dropped after the determined attitude taken by Mr. Borden, and that our great and good friend Mr. Templeman was a party to the proposal to foist those iniquities upon the people of British Columbia.

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Mayor Hall brought the matter before the City Council last night when he stated that Stinson & Company had requested an extension of their option until July 31. That firm explained that owing to the fact that the cities of Winnipeg and Quebec have just floated a large amount of debentures, the market is pretty well supplied. The amount of debentures of this city now in the hands of Stinson & Company is all the city has for sale, about $890,000, yielding four per cent.

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Nell—Maude has a new dressmaker; what do you think of the fit of her new gown? Belle—I shouldn't call it a fit; I should call it a convulsion.—Philadelphia Record.

"Do you consider your nerve is sufficiently steady to fit you for an airship navigator?" "Well, I've been out in a canoe with a nervous fat girl."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Mr. Howe—I suppose you have studied all the authorities on social and economic questions? Mr. Wise—Not quite all. My daughter's graduation essay is not out yet.—Life.

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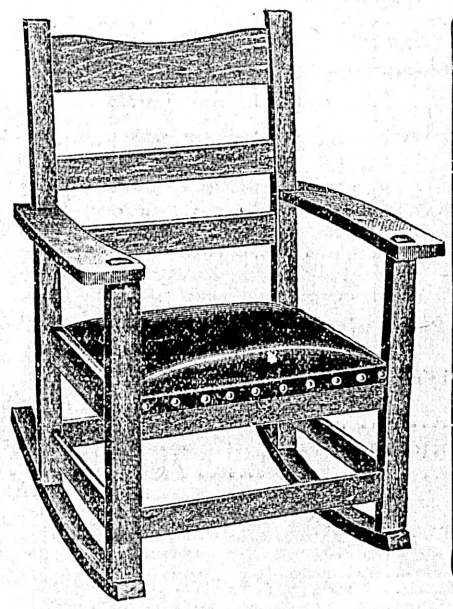

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LADIES' DRAWERS, reg. $1.50. Sale **$1.15**
LADIES' DRAWERS, regular $1.40. Sale.....**$1.00**
LADIES' DRAWERS, regular $2.35. Sale.....**$1.75**
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LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, regular $1.15. Sale **80¢**
LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, regular $1.25. Sale **90¢**
LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, reg. $1.50. Sale **$1.10**
LADIES' NIGHT DRESSES, reg. $1.65. Sale **$1.35**
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FANCY STRIPED SCOTCH TWEEDS, regular 75c, for...**47½¢**
FANCY STRIPED AND CHECKED TWEEDS AND HOMESPUNS, 48 in. and 50 in., regular 90c and $1.00, for.....**52½¢**
SUITINGS, in striped tweeds, 50 in., regular $1.25, for.....**65¢**
54 in. HARRIS HOMESPUNS, regular $1.40, for.....**85¢**
EXTRA FINE SUITING TWEEDS, 50 in. regular $1.75, for **$1.00**
EXCLUSIVE COSTUME LENGTHS, no two alike—
54 inches wide, 7 yards in each, regular $10.50, for.....**$5.95**
54 inches wide, 7 yards in each, regular $12.25, for.....**$6.30**
54 inches wide, 7 yards in each, regular $14.00, for.....**$8.75**
54 inches wide, 7 yards in each, regular $17.50, for.....**$10.50**
54 inches wide, 7 yards in each, regular $21.00, for.....**$13.30**

Gloves

LADIES' TAFFETA, white only. Reg. 35c. Sale **20¢**
CHILDREN'S WHITE TAFFETA, reg. 25c. Sale **15¢**
LADIES' BLACK, GLACE AND SUEDE KID, regular $1.50. Sale.....**50¢**
DENT'S REAL CHAMOIS, elbow length, regular $1.50. Sale.....**90¢**
DENT'S HEAVY TAN KID, elbow length, 16-button. Regular $3.50. Sale.....**$2.25**
12-button. Regular $3.00. Sale.....**$1.75**

LADIES' TAFFETA, 19 in., white, cream and black, regular $1.35. Sale....**75¢**
LADIES' TAFFETA, 23 in., regular $1.50. Sale.....**90¢**
LADIES' TAFFETA, 14 in., cream, white and black, regular 50c. Sale.....**25¢**
LADIES' TAFFETA, 19 in., regular 90c. Sale.....**50¢**
LADIES' 23 in. LISLE GLOVES in black, white, tan and grey, reg. $1.00. Sale **75¢**
LADIES' PURE SILK GLOVES, double tips, white, grey, navy and mode. Reg. 75c. Sale **50¢**

Waists

BLACK SILK, tucked and hemstitched. Regular $3.75 for.....**$2.50**
LOUISINE, tucks and insertions. Reg. $7.00 for **$4.50**
LOUISINE, tucks and insertions. Reg. $8.25 for **$4.75**
LOUISINE, tucks and insertion. Reg. $4.25 for **$2.75**
BLACK TUCKED SILK. Regular $5.00 for...**$3.00**
BLACK NET WAISTS. Regular $6.25 for....**$4.00**
BLACK NET WAISTS. Regular $8.50 for.....**$5.00**
WHITE SILK WAISTS. Regular $3.50 for....**$2.25**
WHITE SILK WAISTS. Regular $3.75 for....**$2.50**
WHITE SILK WAISTS. Regular $4.00 for....**$2.75**
WHITE SILK WAISTS. Regular $5.75 for....**$3.15**
WHITE SILK WAISTS. Regular $4.25 for....**$2.50**
WHITE SILK WAISTS. Regular $4.50 for....**$2.50**
WHITE SILK WAISTS. Regular $4.25 for....**$2.25**
WHITE ALL-OVER LACE. Regular $9.00 for **$5.50**
WHITE SILK EMBROIDERED. Reg. $10 for **$6.50**
WHITE SILK EMBROIDERED. Reg. $6.25 for **$4.00**

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CHILDREN'S BUSTER BROWN BELTS—
Regular 30c. Sale price.....**20¢**
Regular 40c. Sale price.....**25¢**
LADIES' LEATHER BELTS—
Regular 50c. Sale price.....**35¢**
Regular 75c. Sale price.....**50¢**
Regular $1.00. Sale price.....**65¢**
Regular $1.25. Sale price.....**75¢**

Skirts

LADIES' BLACK AND COLORED SERGE, HOMESPUN AND VENETIAN MARKED DOWN TO HALF PRICE—
LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, regular $11.50. Sale.....**$7.50**
LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, regular $12.50. Sale.....**$7.50**
LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, regular $16.25. Sale.....**$10.50**
LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, regular $16.75. Sale.....**$10.75**
LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, regular $17.25. Sale.....**$11.75**
LADIES' BLACK VOILE SKIRTS, regular $16.25. Sale.....**$10.75**
LADIES' BLACK PANAMA SKIRTS, regular $11.50. Sale.....**$6.75**
LADIES' BLACK PANAMA SKIRTS, regular $17.25. Sale.....**$11.75**
LADIES' BLACK PANAMA SKIRTS, regular $14.00. Sale.....**$8.00**
LADIES' BLACK PANAMA SKIRTS, regular $12.50. Sale.....**$7.50**
LADIES' COLORED PANAMA SKIRTS, regular $12.50. Sale.....**$7.50**
LADIES' COLORED PANAMA SKIRTS, regular $8.75. Sale.....**$6.00**
LADIES' EMPRESS CLOTH SKIRTS—
Black, regular $11.00 for.....**$7.00**
Black and navy, regular $11.50 for.....**$7.25**
Navy, regular $10.25 for.....**$6.00**
LADIES' PANAMA SKIRTS—
Black and navy, regular $7.00 for.....**$4.75**
Black and navy, regular $8.00 for.....**$5.25**
Black, regular $8.75 for.....**$5.75**
LADIES' EMPRESS CLOTH SKIRTS—
Brown, regular $9.25. Sale.....**$6.00**
Brown, regular $8.00. Sale.....**$5.25**
Navy, regular $9.25. Sale.....**$6.00**
Navy, regular $9.50. Sale.....**$6.00**
Navy, regular $8.00. Sale.....**$5.25**
Black, regular $8.00. Sale.....**$5.25**

White Washing Skirts

TRIMMED EMBROIDERY AND INSERTION—
Pique, regular $2.35. Sale.....**$1.60**
Pique, regular $2.75. Sale.....**$1.75**
Duck, regular $3.35. Sale.....**$2.25**
Duck, regular $3.40. Sale.....**$2.25**

Ladies' Underskirts

BLACK ITALIAN CLOTH—
Frilled and tucked, regular $2.50. Sale.....**$1.50**
Black Sateen, accordeon pleats and frills, regular $3.25. Sale.....**$1.85**
Heatherbloom, black, navy, grey and green, regular $5.75. Sale.....**$3.50**
Heatherbloom, black, regular $2.25. Sale.....**$1.15**
Black Duchess Sateen, regular $5.00. Sale....**$3.00**
Black Sateen, regular $1.50. Sale.....**$1.00**
Black Sateen, regular $1.00. Sale.....**50¢**

Ladies' Embroidered Linen Costumes

Exclusive Designs, One Only in each Pattern
Regular $6.50. Sale.....**$3.75**
Regular $21.50. Sale.....**$10.50**
Regular $32.50. Sale.....**$15.75**
Regular $36.50. Sale.....**$17.50**

Em'd Linen and Lawn Waist Lengths

Regular $2.75. Sale.....**$1.50**
Regular $3.75. Sale.....**$1.90**
Regular $4.00. Sale.....**$2.00**
Regular $7.00. Sale.....**$4.00**
Regular $7.25. Sale.....**$4.00**
Regular $8.75. Sale.....**$4.50**

BOYS' WOOLLEN JERSEYS, in navy and cardinal.
Regular 75c for.....**55¢**
Regular 85c for.....**60¢**
Regular $1.00 for.....**65¢**
Regular $1.25 for.....**75¢**
Regular $1.35 for.....**85¢**
Regular $1.60 for.....**$1.25**

Curtain Department

FANCY SWISS CURTAIN MUSLINS—
Regular 20c for.....**15¢**
Regular 40c for.....**30¢**
MADRAS MUSLINS, PLAIN BORDERS—
Ecru, regular 30c for.....**20¢**
Ecru, regular 40c for.....**25¢**
White and Yellow, regular 45c for.....**30¢**
White, regular 40c for.....**25¢**
Cream and Green, regular 60c for.....**45¢**
Green and Red, regular 65c for.....**45¢**
Cream and Red, regular 75c for.....**50¢**
Cream and Blue, regular 75c for.....**50¢**
Cream and Green, regular 75c for.....**50¢**
Green and Red, regular 80c for.....**60¢**
WHITE TASSELLED MUSLIN, harness spot, regular 30c for.....**20¢**
SINGLE TASSELLED BROCHE MUSLINS—
White, regular 35c for.....**22½¢**
Ecru, Green, Yellow and Red, reg. 40c and 45c for **30¢**
Ecru, regular 55c for.....**40¢**
Cream and blue, yellow, green, cream and green, regular 60c for.....**45¢**
Green and Yellow, Cream and Blue, Yellow, Cream and Blue, Yellow, Cream and Red, Green and Red, regular 75c for.....**55¢**
DOUBLE TASSELLED FANCY MADRAS—
White and Ecru, regular 40c for.....**30¢**
Cream and blue, cream and gold, cream and green, regular 50c for.....**37½¢**
Ecru, regular 55c for.....**40¢**
Yellow and red, green, yellow and blue, regular 75c for.....**50¢**
Green and Red, Red and Green, regular 80c for **60¢**
WHITE SASH MUSLINS, WITH FRILLED LOOP—
Ready for use, regular 40c for.....**30¢**
Ready for use, regular 45c for.....**32½¢**
FANCY FRILLED MUSLINS, regular 30c for **17½¢**
FANCY FRILLED MUSLINS, regular 45c for..**30¢**
NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS—
2½ yards long, regular 65c. Sale price, pair..**40¢**
3 yards long, regular $1.00. Sale price pair..**75¢**
3½ yards long, regular $1.50. Sale price, pair **$1.10**
3½ yards long, regular $1.65. Sale price, pair **$1.35**
3½ yards long, regular $1.75. Sale price, pair **$1.40**
3½ yards long, regular $2.25. Sale price, pair **$1.70**
3½ yards long, regular $3.00. Sale price, pair **$2.25**
3½ yards long, regular $3.50. Sale price, pair **$2.65**
3½ yards long, regular $4.25. Sale price, pair **$3.65**
3½ yards long, regular $4.35. Sale price, pair **$3.70**
3½ yards long, regular $4.50. Sale price, pair **$3.90**
3½ yards long, regular $4.75. Sale price, pair **$3.95**
3½ yards long, regular $5.00. Sale price, pair **$4.00**
3½ yards long, regular $5.50. Sale price, pair **$4.25**
3½ yards long, regular $5.75. Sale price, pair **$4.50**
3½ yards long, regular $6.00. Sale price, pair **$4.90**
FINE SWISS CURTAINS—
White, regular $8.00. Sale price, pair.....**$4.00**
White, regular $7.75. Sale price, pair.....**$3.90**
White, regular $6.75. Sale price, pair.....**$3.50**
White, regular $8.50. Sale price, pair.....**$5.00**
White, regular $12.00. Sale price, pair.....**$6.50**
Ecru, regular $8.50. Sale price, pair.....**$5.00**
White and Ecru, regular $5.50. Sale price, pair **$3.25**
Ecru, regular $12.50. Sale price, pair.....**$7.00**
Ecru, regular $9.00. Sale price, pair.....**$5.00**
HEMMED BOBINET CURTAINS, regular $6.59. Sale price, pair.....**$3.25**
BONNE FEMME CURTAINS, for doors, regular $1.40 and $1.35. Sale price, pair.....**75¢**
SILKOLINES, a light weight material for draperies and curtains. All shades, in plain and floral designs. Special sale price, per yard.....**15¢**
CRETONNES, red with green, brown with green, gold with green, regular 20c. Sale price, per yard..**12½¢**
PLYMOUTH DENIMS, brown, green and red, regular 25c. Sale price, per yard.....**15¢**
HUNGARIAN CLOTH, in red, blue, brown and green, regular 50c. Sale price, per yard.....**35¢**
ART DENIMS, in green, brown and red, regular 40c. Sale price, per yard.....**25¢**
DUNDEE BURLAP, in green and red, regular 30c. Sale price, per yard.....**17½¢**
ART SATEENS, in fancy floral designs, regular 20c. Sale price, per yard.....**12½¢**
ART SATEENS, in fancy floral designs, regular 25c. Sale price, per yard.....**15¢**

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SILK SCARFS—
Regular price $4.50. Sale price.....**$1.50**
Regular price $2.00. Sale price.....**$1.00**
Regular price $3.00. Sale price.....**$1.65**
Regular price $4.00. Sale price.....**$2.25**
Regular price $5.50. Sale price.....**$3.00**
LADIES' EMBROIDERED TURNOVER COLLARS—
Regular 35c each. Sale price, each.....**20¢**
Regular 50c each. Sale price, each.....**30¢**
Regular 75c. each. Sale price, each.....**45¢**
LADIES' EMBROIDERED LINEN COLLAR AND CUFF SETS—
Regular 35c set. Sale price, per set.....**20¢**
Regular 75c. set. Sale price, per set.....**45¢**
Regular $1.25 set. Sale price, per set.....**75¢**
Regular $1.40 set. Sale price, per set.....**85¢**
Regular $1.50 set. Sale price, per set.....**90¢**

LINENETTE AND SILESIA LININGS, regular 15c, for.....**5¢**
FANCY PRINTED FOULARD SILKS, regular 65c., for.....**25¢**
FANCY DRESDEN DESIGNS, reg. $1.25, for **40¢**
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Corsets, Etc.

CROMPTON'S, No. 159, white and drab, regular $1.00. Sale, pair.....**40¢**
CROMPTON'S No. 167, white and drab, with hose supporters,. Regular $1.25. Sale, pair.....**45¢**
HYGEINE WAISTS, Ladies', reg. $1.25. Sale, each.....**90¢**
HYGEINE WAISTS, Ladies', regular $1.00. Sale.....**70¢**
HYGEINE WAISTS, Girls', regular 60c. Sale.....**45¢**
HYGEINE WAISTS, Girls', regular 80c. Sale.....**60¢**
LADIES' PHONAC CORSETS, regular $1.25. Sale....**75¢**
LADIES' C|C La GRACE CORSETS, regular $1.75. Sale.....**85¢**
LADIES' FERRIS GOOD SENSE WAISTS, regular $1.75. Sale.....**85¢**
CHILDREN'S FERRIS WAISTS, 7 to 12 years, regular $1.00. Sale.....**50¢**
LADIES' TAPE GIRDLE CORSETS, regular $1.25. Sale.....**75¢**
LADIES' TAPE GIRDLE CORSETS, regular 75c. Sale.....**50¢**
LADIES' TAPE GIRDLE CORSETS, regular 50c. Sale.....**35¢**
AMERICAN LADY CORSETS, reg. $5.25. Sale **$3.00**
AMERICAN LADY CORSETS, reg. $5.00. Sale **$2.75**
AMERICAN LADY CORSETS, reg. $4.50. Sale **$2.75**
AMERICAN LADY CORSETS, reg. $1.75. Sale **$1.00**
BOYS' GIANT SUSPENDER AND HOSE SUPPORTERS, regular 75c. Sale.....**45¢**

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Underwear

CHILDREN'S COTTON VESTS, regular 20c and 25c. Sale, 2 for.....**25¢**
LADIES' COTTON VESTS, regular 15c and 20c. Sale, 2 for.....**25¢**
LADIES' COTTON VESTS, fancy tops, regular 35c. Sale.....**25¢**
LADIES' SWISS VESTS, hand crochet tops, regular 75c. Sale.....**45¢**
LADIES' SWISS VESTS, regular 40c. Sale...**25¢**

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT
Trimmed Hats, Untrimmed Hats, all Marked Down to July Sale Prices.

Dress Muslins

FANCY FIGURED AND SPOTTED, regular 30c per yard. Sale price.....**15¢**
FANCY FLORAL DESIGN DIMITIES, regular 25c per yard, for.....**15¢**
SATIN STRIPED FLOWERED DESIGNS, regular 50c yard. Sale price.....**15¢**
WHITE FANCY BRILLIANTS, regularly sold at 25c per yard. Sale price.....**15¢**

Hosiery

LADIES' BLACK CAT COTTON STOCKINGS, regular 25c, for.....**20¢**
LADIES' BLACK, NAVY AND TAN COTTON, regular 35c, for.....**25¢**
CHILDREN'S RIBBED COTTON STOCKINGS, blacks and tans. Regular 35c, for.....**20¢**
CHILDREN'S RIBBED CASHMERE STOCKINGS—
6 1-2 inch. Sale.....**10¢**
7 inch. Sale.....**15¢**
7 1-2 inch. Sale.....**20¢**
8 and 8 1-2 inch. Sale.....**25¢**
CHILDREN'S AND LADIES' RIBBED (fine) CASHMERE STOCKINGS—
6, 6 1-2 and 7 inch. Sale.....**10¢**
7 1-2 inch. Sale.....**15¢**
8 inch. Sale.....**20¢**
8 1-2 and 9 inch. Sale.....**25¢**

LADIES' SUMMER CASHMERE SEAMLESS HOSE, regular 35c and 40c, for.....**25¢**
LADIES' COTTON HOSE with natural wool feet, reg. 40c, for **25¢**
LADIES' BLACK LISLE, with white feet, regular 50c. Sale..**35¢**
LADIES' VERTICAL RIBBED HOSE, regular 50c, for.....**25¢**
LADIES' BLACK GAUZE LISLE, reg. 65c, for.....**40¢**

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Anglican Young Peoples' Outing.

The attention of the members of the Anglican Young Peoples' Association who intend to attend the basket picnic to be given by the association, is called to the change of the time of meeting at St. John's hall, it being 9.00 a.m. instead of 9.30 as previously stated. This change was necessary in order to board the launches at Esquimalt a little before 10 o'clock. Accommodation having been secured for about sixty, the members will be able to bring along a few of their friends.

The first woman to take a medical degree, Dr. Elizabeth Blackwell, reached her eighty-seventh birthday on the 3rd of February. Dr. Blackwell's home is in Hastings, England, and it was thought that King Edward might possibly extend to her the Order of Merit, that he did to Florence Nightingale on her last birthday. Although this did not come, it is recalled that Charles Kingsley declared that it would be in order for Queen Victoria to Knight Dr. Blackwell.

The women of Boston pleased Sarah Bernhardt. In her "Memories of My Life," she says she was impressed by the "harmony and softness of their gestures," and the Bostonian race seemed to her "the most refined and mysterious of all American races." "The women adore music, the theatre, literature, painting and poetry," she writes. "They know everything and understand everything, are chaste and reserved, and neither laugh nor talk very loudly."

The county campaign of Butte county, South Dakota, is enlivened by two young women who without affiliation with any particular political party are running for the office of county superintendent of public instruction. Miss Elsie Malcolm has been county superintendent for two terms. Miss Susie Bird was county superintendent for nearly three terms before she became a resident of the Butte county. Both women are under thirty years of age but are experienced politicians.

Miss Helen Gould has lately given $5,000 each to the American School for Girls at Luxor, Egypt, to the American College for Women at Assiout, Egypt, and to the American School at Cairo and $2,000 each to American schools at Jerusalem, Damascus and Tarsus.

LOCAL MILITIAMEN FOR TERCENTENARY

Seventeen of the Fifth Regiment Members Will Visit Quebec

A contingent of seventeen members of the Fifth Regiment C. A. will attend the Quebec Tercentenary, the celebration of which opens at that historic city on the 18th of next month. This information is contained in a district order received at the office of the District Officer commanding yesterday and posted, early in the forenoon, at Work Point barracks.

Lt.-Col. Hall, in command of the local militia, has been appointed to take charge of the representatives who will be selected to go from the various military organizations west of Winnipeg. Lieut. Stern, also of the Victoria corps, is given a temporary commission as adjutant under the first mentioned officer. Besides these a captain and fifteen non-commissioned officers and men will go from this city. Who the latter will be has not yet been decided. From the Fifth Regiment, Vancouver, there will be one subaltern and seven non-commissioned officers and men. The apparent descrimination in favor of the local corps is explained by the fact that a garrison has a higher rating than an infantry force.

To Accept Charge

Last evening Lt.-Col Hall announced that he would accept the charge the authorities had been pleased to lay upon him. He would take the western contingent to Quebec and already had made preparations for the selection of the non-commissioned officers and men who would represent the Victoria corps. He said that the fortunate ones would be picked by the company officers. Those who wished to go only had to submit their names at the Drill hall. They would be received up to a date to be announced later and any who failed to give the required notification before the time that would be specified would not receive consideration.

The district order referred to follows:

Quebec Tercentenary Celebration Official Contingent from Military District No. 11:

It has been decided to select the following detail of troops from M. D. No. 11 as part of the northwestern contingent to represent the active militia units of the district at the Quebec Tercentenary celebration.

Garrison Artillery: Capts. 1; Non-commissioned officers and men, 15; Infantry: Officers, 1; Non commissioned officers and men, 7. The above to be made up as follows:

Fifth Regiment, R. C. A.: One captain and 15 non commissioned officers and men.

Sixth Regiment D. C. O. R.: One subaltern, 7 non commissioned officers and men.

102nd Regiment (Nelson): Four non commissioned officers and men.

C. Company, Rocky Mountain Rangers: One non commissioned officer or man.

3 Company, Rocky Mountain Rangers: One non commissioned officer or man.

A. Company, Kootenay Rifles: One non commissioned officer or man.

B. Company, Kootenay Rifles: One non commissioned officer or man.

The names of all officers, non commissioned officers and en selected to be submitted so as to reach this office not later than the 5th proximo.

The contingent is due to arrive in Quebec on the 18th proximo.

No pay will be granted in addition to annual drill pay. Rations will be issued during the time the contingent is in Quebec. Also a daily money allowance per officer and man while on the journey to and from Quebec.

The contingent will be quartered under canvas at Sabard park, Quebec.

The dress of all rank of each unit must be of uniform pattern, clean and well fitting. The service dress must not be used on any ceremonial parade or duty outside the respective corps. All officers must be provided with swords and where all of a unit is in possession of tunics such shall be worn on ceremonial parades, escort, and guard of honor duties. Otherwise the serge frock shall be worn. At levees the tunic must be worn by all attending. The helmet or full head dress must be worn at all parades unless otherwise ordered.

Lt.-Col. J. A. Hal, Fifth Regiment, has been appointed commandant of the contingent. Lt. B. T. Stern, F. R. C. A. has been appointed adjutant.

Transport arrangements will be made by the Quarter Master General, branch headquarters

Final instructions will be circulated during the next few days.

E. E. BENNETT, Major.
Acting D.S.A., M.D.M.

APPLY FOR LICENSES

Provincial Police Department Busy Considering Applications Received From Districts

Today is the last day on which applications for renewals of liquor licenses for the unorganized districts can be made as well as applications of licenses for new premises. There are about 350 licenses which are to be renewed, and the majority of these have been again applied for, but there are many applications which have not yet been received. In many instances the applicants for renewals have failed to answer the questions asked in a satisfactory manner and for the past few weeks the provincial office, under the direction of which all such licensed premises come, has been busy corresponding with the constables in the various districts to get the required information correctly stated. There are a considerable number of applications for new licenses ,the majority of which have come from parties desiring to open premises at Prince Rupert. These will probably not be considered for some time.

Cadets Annual Inspection.

Cadet Corps No. 170, belonging to the University school of this city underwent their annual inspection on Monday afternoon before Major C. C. Bennett, district staff adjutant. The boys paraded for inspection at the Queen's school, and looked very smart and workmanlike in their neat Khaki uniforms and slouch hats. The company was in command of Cadet Captain H. C. V. Macdonall, who it may be mentioned, has just passed the entrance examination for the Royal military college at Kingston, which he will join in September. The boys went through the various evolutions, ceremonial and section drill, manual and firing exercises, and skirmishing, in a way which did credit to their instructor, Staff Sergeant R. O. Clark, Major Bennett complimented the company on their drill and their steadiness on parade, and hoped that they would next term take up their shooting with equal keenness.

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NEWS OF THE CITY

Additions to Dwelling

A building permit was yesterday issued to Peter Merriman for additions to his dwelling on Blanchard street, to cost $950.

Many Sunday Visitors

The steamer Princess Victoria brought 488 excursionists from Seattle on Sunday and the Chippewa had 517. The steamer Princess Royal took over 600 passengers on her trip from here to Seattle on Sunday.

Young Men's Institute Picnic

The annual basket picnic of the Young Men's Institute will be held at Macaulay Point on Dominion Day. Arrangements have been made for a football match and sports of various kinds. Friends of the Young Men's Institute will be welcomed.

St. Peter's Day Celebrated.

Yesterday being the anniversary of St. Peter in the church calendar, the communion service was celebrated at 8 a. m. in Christ Church cathedral, and tomorrow being Dominion day the usual service on Wednesday, matins and litany will be omitted.

St. Paul's Picnic

The regular annual picnic of St. Paul's Sunday school, Victoria west, will take place on Dominion Day on the same grounds at Oak Bay as in former years. A special car will leave the foot of Henry street, Victoria west, at 10 a. m.

Excursion to Cowichan.

The excursion to Cowichan Bay on Dominion Day under the auspices of the King's Daughters of Victoria, promises to be a delightful outing. The City of Nanaimo will leave at 9 a.m. returning at 9 p.m. A band has been engaged which will render music both going and coming, and refreshments will be served on board all day.

Mayor Will Give Address

The annual convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities will be held at Montreal on July 15, 16 and 17. The programme shows that Mayor Hall is expected to deliver an address on "City Government by Commission," and an address will also be delivered by Mayor Bethune "of Victoria, B. C." on the topic "Criminals in the Police Court." Whoever compiled the programme apparently was under the impression that there is no such place as Vancouver on the map.

Jailer Sheppard Resumes Duties

After an absence of over eight months through illness, Jailer Sheppard once again resumed his duties at the police station yesterday afternoon. While not yet fully recovered, Jailer Sheppard is progressing rapidly and is now sufficiently well enough to once again take his place behind the police station desk. On his arrival at the station he was enthusiastically greeted by his fellow members of the force ,who are delighted to see him back.

Mr. Morley's Denial

A. J. Morley writes the Colonist a letter denying a statement made by J. A. Aikman in the police court on Saturday in regard to his having given permission while mayor to the occupation of certain premises on Herald street for illegal purposes. Mr. Morley says: "The charge is absurd and made only in an attempt to throw discredit on the work of reform." Mr. Morley goes into some other matters, but they have no material bearing upon his denial, which is given in his own words.

Will Hold Picnic

The street railway employees will hold their annual picnic next month, and at a meeting of the Capital division, No. 109, of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America, held on Saturday, a committee was appointed to make all arrangements. The following officers were elected and installed by the past president, R. C. Ward: President, W. H. Gibson; vice-president, R. A. Ritchie; treasurer, L. Cates; conductor, W. King; warden, J. Stoniforth; sentinel, W. Gill; executive committee, W. H. Gibson, W. King, H. Walker and Thomas Fraser.

Successful Candidates

Seven of the ten candidates who took the examination of the British Columbia Dental board which it is necessary for them to pass before being eligible for practice in this province, have been pronounced successful. The fortunate ones include three residents of Victoria, namely, Percy Charles Thomas, D.D.S., Herbert Edward Thomas, D.D.S., and John Harper, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., L.D.S. The other four are: A. Bridghouse, D.D.S., William J. Lea, D.D.S., L.D.S., and Edwin Grant Smyth, D.D.S., Willmott B. Steed, D.D.S., L.D.S. The presiding examiners were F. P. Smith, D.D.S., and R. Ford Verrinder, M.D., D.D.S. Another board examination will take place in Vancouver early in November.

OBITUARY NOTICES

Clearihue

The remains of the late Peter Clearihue were laid at rest in Ross Bay cemetery yesterday afternoon. The funeral took place from the family residence, Fort street, at 2:30 o'clock, where service was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Campbell at the residence and graveside. Many flowers were presented. The following acted as pallbearers: T. Elford, J. B. Lovell, Alex. Wilson, J. L. Crimp, Wm. Humphrey, Archie Cameron.

Brady.

Yesterday afternoon the death occurred at the family home, 838 Broughton street, of Henry J. Brady, a member of the firm of Houston & Brady, pickle manufacturers. The deceased had been ill but a short time. He was born in Hull, England, coming here to engage in the above business. The funeral arrangements will be made later.

Coxhead.

The funeral of the late Jonas Coxhead, recently of Nelson and formerly of Toronto, but who has been a resident of Victoria for the past three months, and who died on Saturday, will take place today at 2:30 o'clock from 1444 North Pembroke street to Ross Bay cemetery. The late gentleman, who was 61 years of age, is survived by a widow and two sons.

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., June 29, 1908.

SYNOPSIS

The high barometer area is moving inland and is now central over the region of the Rocky mountains. Showers have fallen at Atlin and Barkerville, but elsewhere the weather on the Pacific slope has been fine and much warmer in some districts, reaching 102 at Red Bluff, Cal. In the prairie Provinces showery conditions have been very general with thunderstorms at Minnedosa and Prince Albert.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	49	78
Vancouver	48	72
New Westminster	18	76
Kamloops	54	80
Barkerville	42	82
Atlin	36	61
Dawson	52	72
Calgary	46	68
Winnipeg	44	70
Portland	58	86
San Francisco	52	76

FORECASTS

For 24 hours from 5 a.m. (Pacific time) Tuesday:

Victoria and vicinity—Light or moderate winds, fair and warm today and Wednesday.

Lower mainland—Light or moderate winds, fair and warm today and Wednesday.

SUNDAY

Highest	69
Lowest	52
Mean	60

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MONDAY

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Lowest	42
Mean	63

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The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water.

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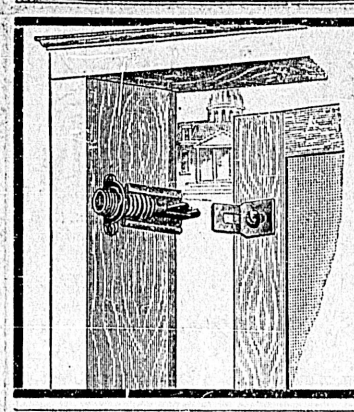

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For the second time in the history of the municipality of Oak Bay the residents have received their tax notices. These were forwarded from the office of the clerk, J. F. Floyd, Chancery chambers, on Saturday to all known addresses. To those whose places of residence could not be ascertained they were sent through the Oak Bay P. O. general delivery. It is announced by Mr. Floyd that those whose payments are made for the 31st of July will be entitled to 1-6 of a rate.

The regular meeting of the council, which should have been held last night, has been postponed indefinitely. Although no arrangements have been made it is probable that a special gathering will be called by Reeve Oliver for Friday afternoon to dispose of accumulated routine business.

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ALLEGED VAGRANT IS RELEASED FROM JAIL

Chief Justice Hunter Holds He Was Prosecuted on the Wrong Charge

Jim Sheehan, who was sentenced to three months in jail by the police magistrate the week before last, for vagrancy, was yesterday released by Chief Justice Hunter, on the ground that as he had $27 on him when arrested, he could not be held under that section of the vagrancy clause of the Criminal code which provides for the prosecution of those who "having no visible means of subsistence, unlawfully live without employment."

The application was made yesterday afternoon by R. C. Lowe to the chief justice, H. D. Helmcken, K. C., appearing for the crown. Mr. Lowe read the evidence, and after hearing it his lordship called upon Mr. Helmcken with the remark that surely $27, the amount found on the prisoner, was visible means of subsistence. Counsel for the crown urged that the fact of a small sum of money being found on the accused did not make any difference, but that if there were any evidence of the man unlawfully living without employment, the conviction should stand, and he quoted dicta from the late Chief Justice Killam to show that a judge would not interfere in such cases even if he would have decided differently had the case come beore him in the first instance.

Chief Justice Hunter—I held some years ago in the case of Rex vs. McCormick that a general charge of vagrancy could not be laid under the code, but that the specific acts alleged to bring the accused within the provisions of one of the sub-sections of the vagrancy section must be charged and proved. Thus if a man is charged under another sub-section, evidence that he has been guilty of acts coming under another sub-section is irrelevant and inadmissable. The decision I have referred to has been followed and upheld by the courts of appeal of Saskatchewan and Ontario and must now be taken to be the law. So in this case, the court cannot entertain evidence showing that the accused is a gambler. The man is charged with having no visible means of subsistence, whereas the evidence is that he had $27 on him. If a man had the price of a meal on him I doubt if he could be arrested under this section. It is a treacherous sub-section for the police to work under, but I have no doubt that after a while they will realize its purport. In this case there should be no difficulty in reaching such a man as the accused under the proper section. Having money on him obtained by gambling is no defense to a vagrant charged with supporting himself by gambling, but when he is charged with having no means of subsistence you cannot inquire as to where he has gotten the money which is found on him."

The conviction was quashed and the prisoner ordered to be released.

PLEASURE CRAFT FINISHED

Japanese Yakata Will Commence Service on the Arm Today

The Japanese pleasure boat built on a wharf in the upper harbor by Nishimoto and his associates and completed at the Gorge park a few days ago is to commence service today. The boat, a large yakata, or large roofed sampan, is furnished sumptuously and the decorations and fittings are carried out with thoroughness. The boat will be towed by a gasoline launch equipped with a 12 horse power Union engine. A bridge with three curved spans built to imitate the curved bridges of Japan, red painted imitative of the red lacquer of the sacred bridge at Nikko, and a refreshment and waiting room decorated in Japanese style has been built by the Japanese at the Gorge park and the pleasure boat will be operated from there. The waiting room is decorated with bamboo and is curtained with imitation wistaria. Japanese lanterns are strung closely under the eaves, the whole giving a pretty effect.

The pleasure boat with its high prow and poop, with long sweeping rudder such as is used on the lake boats of Japan, is finished in keeping with all the tenets of ancient Japanese boatbuilding. There is accommodation for a large number of passengers, and a yacht piano has been installed. Ice cream and kindred refreshments will be sold on board the craft which will make trips as far as the big basin at the head of the Gorge.

COURT OF APPEAL IS DELAYED BY OTTAWA

Until Legislation Passed By Dominion, Nothing to Be Done Locally

Much criticism has been levelled at the members of the government in various quarters for not having brought the court of appeals act into force by order in council, criticism which entirely overlooks the fact that up to date the delay, if delay there has been, is not chargeable to the provincial government.

The attorney general pointed out yesterday that it would produce nothing but confusion to bring the court of appeal act into force until the necessary Dominion legislation has been passed. The salaries of the judges of the appellate court have to be approved and paid by the Dominion parliament, which must also by special legislation give the new court of appeal that jurisdiction in criminal matters enjoyed by the present full court. Unless and until that is done, would it be futile and worse to bring the local court of appeal act into force.

The British Columbia legislation has been on the statute books for a considerable length of time, but it was not until the present session of the parliament at Ottawa that the needed legislature was introduced. This legislation is understood to have passed the house and the senate, but it has not yet received the royal assent, and so is not yet law. When the needed Dominion legislation does actually become law, the question of bringing the local act into force will arise for the first time in any practical manner before the executive of the government of British Columbia.

The winner is he who gives himself to his work, body and mind.—Chas. Buxton.

GET TWELVE-POUNDER

Quick-Firing Gun Transferred From Duntze Rock to the Drill Hall

The twelve-pounder quick-firing gun dismounted from Duntze rock at the entrance to Esquimalt harbor was brought to the drill hall yesterday morning by engineers of the garrison with the mounting, the ordnance being trucked from Esquimalt. The gun is to be mounted at once in order that the members of No. 1 company, who, as stated on Sunday are to be transferred from a field service company to man the ante-torpedo equipment of the local defences, may begin training. The gun has been moved completely with all its impediments, excepting the shield, which is not considered necessary for drill purposes.

Work will be commenced this morning to get the six-inch gun to be taken from the work at Rod Hill ready for moving. The gun weighs about five tons. The engineers will begin the work of dismounting it today and expect to have the piece ready for moving, which will probably be by scow, by the end of the week.

SHORTAGE OF JUDGES CAUSES MUCH DELAY

Trouble Crops Up in a Chamber Application—Proceedings Yesterday

In chambers yesterday the chief justice again emphasized the shortness of judges at present existing in the province. It arose on an application in the case of Brownell vs. Brownell, made on behalf of the defendant to have the action dismissed for lack of prosecution, or in the alternative to have a lis pendens filed on the defendant's land, cancelled. For the defendant Thornton Fell complained that the land had been tied up since December when the action was started, that the statement of defense had been delivered on April 2, and that now the action could not come on till autumn. The defendant in the meantime was prevented from dealing with his property.

For the plaintiff, J. A. Aikman pointed out that he had used due diligence but when he sought for a day to be set for trial, the chief justice had informed him that the full court would probably be in session all June, so a day could not be obtained.

In refusing the application, the chief justice remarked that the trouble was due to the insufficient number of judges available. When application was made to fix a date, it was considered likely that Mr. Justice Irving would be able to sit on the court of appeal, in which case the sittings would have lasted the entire month.

In Wilson vs McConnel et. al. leave was granted Mr. Twigg to issue a concurrent writ out of the jurisdiction

Re John Smith, deceased. Probate was granted on the application of D. S. Tait, The same lawyer was granted letters of administration of the estate of the late Frank E. Lane.

In the divorce action of Portrey vs. Portrey, Wm. C. Moresby was granted a decree making the order nisi absolute.

ACTION FOR DAMAGES DISMISSED BY COURT

Acceptance of a Contract Must Be Communicated, or It is Not Binding

Chief Justice Hunter yesterday dismissed the case of Little vs. Hanbury, which took up the greater part of the day in the supreme court. Thornton Fell appeared for the plaintiff and W. H. Langley for the defendant. The case arose out of a projected hunting trip in 1905, on which Little was engaged by telegraph to act as cook for the expedition.

It appeared from the evidence that Little was engaged at the time as foreman in a jam factory in Ontario, California, when he received a telegram from Mr. Hanbury, a wealthy old country sportsman who was about to set out on a big game hunting trip, asking him if he would join the expedition as cook. Little wired back to ask what the wages would be, and the reply came back that he would be paid $5 a day for a month and that he was to start the following day. According to Little's evidence this wire was received when he was at lunch, and that immediately afterwards he went to the jam factory and resigned his position, the management making no difficulty when he explained that he was bettering himself. He then went down town and bought some heavy boots, shirts and other necessaries. When he got back that evening he found another telegram awaiting him stating that his services would not be required after all. He tried to get his job at the factory back, but failed.

There were some negotiations between the two, but as no arrangements could be come to, Little brought suit for $450 damages.

For the plaintiff Mr. Fell argued that Little's conduct in resigning his position and purchasing the necessary supplies constituted an acceptance of the contract, and that as the third telegram followed so hard upon the heels of the second there was no time for Little to have wired his acceptance. Little testified that he had intended to telegraph when he got to San Francisco and found out about the steamship sailings.

For the defendant it was urged that the acceptance must be communicated before it bound the parties, and that if Little had not been willing to go on the receipt of the second telegram, his client would have had no remedy. Thus there could be no contract, for a contract must bind both parties. After a lengthy argument in which a number of authorities were cited, the chief justice held that there was no contract and gave judgment for the defendant.

To Attend Drill

All members of No. 1 company, Fifth Regiment R. C. A., are requested to be present at the parade at the drill hall for drill tonight. If the gun is mounted in time, drill will be held on the twelve-pounder quick-firing gun just installed.

A Boston genius offers for $500 to teach one how not to worry. Most of us possessing $500 would probably be willing to do without instruction so long as the cash held out.—The Scranton Tribune.

ANNUAL MEETING OF JUBILEE HOSPITAL

Reports of Various Officials Are Received—Financial Standing Excellent

The annual meeting of the donors and subscribers to the funds of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital was held yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms, the president, Mr. F. B. Pemberton, in the chair.

Amongst others present were, Mrs. J. D. Pemberton, Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Mrs. Hasell, Mrs. J. H. Barnard, Mrs. Dalby, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Rocke Robertson, the Misses Musgrave and Mara, Messrs. J. B. Pemberton, Alex. Wilson, R. S. Day, J. A. Mara, D. R. Ker, E. A. Lewis, R. E. Brett, J. H. Barnard, H. D. Helmcken, Jas. Forman and H. E. Newton.

Mr. Elworthy the secretary read the following reports:

The directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital have much pleasure in presenting their report upon the working of the institution during the eighteenth year of its existence.

Repairs and Improvements

In the children's ward a hot air furnace has been installed, the basement made fit for occupation and the Woman's Auxiliary have added a sun room. The Ward itself, kitchen and layatory have just been painted so that wing of the hospital may be considered finished. The large room, now known as No. XXV. has been thoroughly renovated, newly furnished and provided with a bathroom ensuite. Gas for fuel purposes in the sterilizing room has been installed, for which the hospital will have to pay the sum of $410. The steps at the main entrance have been renewed. A contract has been let for a nurses' home, the cost of which will be $14,101; also for re-roofing with P. & B. those portions of the main buildings now covered with cedar shingles, at an additional cost of $1,810.

Requirements

While this may be considered a very fair showing for one year it is far short of urgent requirements in which connection may be mentioned more private rooms, a new laundry, improved heating system, building suitable for the treatment of cases unfit for the general wards and a maternity home. Funds are urgently required for these improvements.

Provincial and City Grants

The provincial government in addition to the per capita grant has given the sum of $15,000 towards the work now under way and other needed improvements. The corporations of Victoria has increased its grant to $7500 for this year but this sum falls short of the cost of treating the city free patients.

The cost of nearly all supplies has been increased, in some cases considerably. Twenty free beds have been added to the hospital from which the only revenue is the per capita grant of 45 cents per day's stay from the provincial government. These, with a larger increased day's stay have resulted in a heavily increased expenditure, and call for full consideration from the city council whose grant, we consider, should be at least $10,000 and from the charitably disposed public of our community.

Resident Medical Staff

In February last Dr. E. Hasell was granted leave of absence upon his arranging with Dr. Forrest Leeder to undertake his duties until his return in probably six months. Dr. Leeder has shown excellent executive ability and while Dr. Hasell has been enjoying his well earned holiday the hospital has been kept fully up to its high standard of efficiency.

Dr. Hasell having applied for an assistant in order that he may devote more of his time to the administrative work of the hospital, the directors have appointed Dr. H. A. Wallace, a graduate of the Manitoba Medical college, who commenced his duties last month.

By-laws.

The by-laws of the hospital have been revised and printed.

Auxiliaries

As a record of the work of the women's auxiliary will be found in the pamphlet containing this report only an acknowledgment and thanks for kind-co-operation is here necessary. The directors are also indebted and thank the Daughters of Pity and King's Daughters for their good offices in behalf of this hospital.

The directors also thank the visiting and medical and surgical staff, resident medical officer, matron and staff, who by their untiring good services have done so much to promote the welfare of the patients and efficiency of the hospital.

Attention is directed to the detailed information which will be found in the reports of the honorary treasurer, the audited accounts and reports of the resident medical officer, and matron, which are appended hereto.

Matron's Report.

Gentlemen—I beg leave to submit the following report for the year ending May, 1908:

The staff at the present time consists of M. C. Macdonald, matron; Miss G. Richards, head nurse; Miss Macrae, who has charge of the Strathcona ward; twenty-two pupil nurses, two probationers and two male nurses.

During the year thirty-eight applications for admission to the training school have been received. Ten applications were taken on probation and were accepted as pupil nurses. The graduating class for the year: Miss Lucas, Miss J. Charman, Miss Goldsmith, Miss M. Charman, Miss McQuarrie, Miss Carter, Miss Smith, Miss John, Miss Rankin, Miss Vautreight.

Our thanks are due to Dr. Fraser, Dr. E. Hall, Dr. Leeder, Dr. Stanier, Dr. Dolbey, Dr. McMicking and Dr. Hasell for lectures during the year.

The Woman's Auxiliary have, as usual, attended to the sewing and mending, have also furnished the linen, blankets, china and many other things which make the wards more comfortable and attractive for the patients. We would also thank the Daughters of Pity and King's Daughters, and many kind friends who have sent flowers, fruit, books and magazines. Respectfully submitted,

M. C. MACDONALD, Matron.

Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital accounts current for year ending May 31, 1908:

June 1, 1907	
To cash balance	$11,936.77
RECEIPTS	
May 31, 1908	
To grants, subscriptions and donations	18,663.75
Pay patients	26,463.75
Sales of farm products	323.78
Bank interest	273.03
Total receipts	$45,724.36
Can. Bank of Com. overd'ft	977.69
Total	$58,638.82

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EXPENDITURE

May 31, 1908		
By expenses, per statement	$47,597.36	
Children's ward, construction account	2,443.97	
		$50,041.33
Can. Bank of Com., last year's overdraft		1,399.16
Balance at Can. Bank of Com. Sav. dept.	$7,126.48	
Cash on hand	50.00	7,176.48
Coal supplied Dr. Hasell and unpaid for		*21.85
Total		$58,638.82

*Paid June 21, 1908.

Audited and found correct,

W. CURTIS SAMPSON,
Chartered Accountant, Victoria.

Superintendent's Report

Gentlemen,—As Dr. Hassell's locum tenens, it devolves upon me to submit the annual report. The total number of patients treated this year, as compared with last is as follows:

	1907	1908
In patients	873	1104
Out patients	214	109
	1087	1213

The total collective days stay this year shows an increase as compared with last year. The figures for 1907 year are 23,736 and for 1908, 25,936, an increase of 2,200 days.

The daily average number of patients was 71,057, as against 65.11 in 1907. The cost of maintenance this year was $47,597.36; last year, $38,992.57. This is explained by the increased number of patients, the greater length of their stay at the hospital, and the increased cost of food, in one item, that of milk alone. In 1907 it cost $1,480.27; this year, $2,687.25. Furnishings are responsible for $446.86 more than in 1907. Repairs and improvements, $2,107.64 more than in 1907. The above figures account for the cost of maintenance of each patient per diem amounting to $1.83½, as against $1.64 in that of preceding years.

Despite my limited experience of the working of this hospital, I would urge upon the directors the crying necessity of providing a separate building for incurable cases, which though inadmissable under bylaw 40, frequently do obtain admission, undergo some operation and gradually drift into an incurable state. If such patients have neither money or friends, it is almost impossible to discharge them. They therefore remain, always to the distress and frequently to the danger of the other patients. A separate ward which would house such patients, as also the advanced cases of tuberculosis, which the provincial government now insist we should take, will alone meet this pressing difficulty. The male ward under the children's ward, though excellent for convalescing patients and chronic cases of a more unpleasant character can never be user for such cases, as I have indicated, which include the worst cases of cancer, gangrene, etc. The woman's auxiliary, the Daughters of Pity and the Kings Daughters, are, I understand, giving invaluable help as auxiliaries in the work of the hospital. Regular services have been held on Sunday afternoons in the men's dressing room by the clergy of the city, and the concerts following the services arranged by the kind efforts of Wellington J. Dowler and A. Longfield, have been much appreciated by the patients.

Thanks are due to the visiting medical staff for their gratuitous services to the public ward patients, as also to those doctors who have given lectures to the nurses.

The appointment of Dr. Wallace proves an unqualified success, and without his help, the work of the superintendent was far too continuous and harassing. Messrs. Lee & Fraser have again certified the government returns monthly, for which our grateful thanks are due to them.

A detailed list of statistics for the year are appended.

Your obedient servant,

FORREST LEEDER,
M. R. C. S., L. R. C. P.,

Treasurer's Report.

Mr. R. S. Day the honorary treasurer read the following report:

I submit herewith the annual statement for receipts and disbursements.

The over-draft on current account has been reduced from $1,399.16 to $997.69.

The expenditure of $47,597.36 shows an increase of $8,604.79 due to the larger days' stay of patients treated, the much higher cost of many supplies, the running expenses of the childrens' ward opened during the year and the

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In Woman's Realm

HERE AND THERE

There are, in some Victoria homes and doubtless throughout the other towns and districts of Vancouver Island, papers and objects that, as time goes on, will become invaluable. This immense province, which is still in its infancy, has a great future, how great no living person can foresee.

What would be given today if the boat from which Champlain landed at Quebec could be found? His journals and letters have been preserved and are priceless.

The Jesuit missionaries kept minute and accurate records of all that transpired in Canada during their residence there. No such documents record the doings of the earliest settlers of this province. Yet there are stories and letters and perhaps books or other momentoes of the explorers, and pioneers of British Columbia which are already of great interest. In most homes such things are apt to be lost or destroyed.

In view of the forthcoming celebration of the hundredth anniversary of the adventurous voyage of Simon Fraser, which is to be held at New Westminster this autumn, an effort is being made by R. E. Gosnell, archivist, and E. O. Schofield, provincial librarian, to collect any objects of interest connected with the history of the early days of British Columbia.

It is to the women of the household that the care of such things is usually delegated. The ladies could, if they would, greatly aid the labors of the collectors. Those who believe that the papers they treasure are too precious to be given up, could have copies made of them, but the originals would, in most cases, be much safer in the archives than in any private house.

It would be a mistake to suppose that the discoverers, the explorers, or even the pioneers of this province were commonplace men. Vancouver, McKenzie, Fraser, Douglas and many others have made names for themselves that will last as long as Canada itself. Few greater favors could be conferred on posterity than the preservation of the memories of the great men and the noble deeds of the past.

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Our United States cousins sometimes do extraordinary things. We have grown accustomed to reports of laxity in the administration of the criminal laws and of the deplorable evils that result from this false clemency.

But though it may be a great evil to allow a criminal to escape punishment, it is surely more dangerous to treat every man as though he was a potential criminal. Something very like this has been proposed in Pittsburg, Pennsylvania. The lad who enters a bank in that large and important city will (if this plan is carried out) be obliged to give up his photograph which, with his measurement and thumb-marks, will be preserved in order that if at any future time he should be suspected of dishonesty he could be identified.

One would think that bank managers would find it hard to obtain employees for, surely, few self-respecting men would submit to be treated as rogues.

There is no greater incentive to good conduct than to feel that one is believed to be worthy, nor is there a greater temptation to do wrong than to be regarded as an object of suspicion. The employer, the teacher or the parent who trusts those under him will, as a rule, find them worthy of confidence.

There are, it must be acknowledged, cases where trust has been abused, but it is much to be feared that there are far more where harshness and suspicion create the very evils which they were meant to provide against.

While the temptations to dishonesty may be great among the employees of banks they are not more prone to yield to them than other classes of men and it seems intolerable that manly, honest young fellows should be looked upon as unfit to be trusted.

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Harper's Weekly has been conducting an enquiry into the career of the men who occupy the most prominent positions in the railroads of the United States, and has found that, with scarcely an exception, they began life in a very humble fashion. The same is true of Canadian railway managers. These men have all reached their high positions by virtue of their own ability and strength of character, not by any advantages of birth nor, in most cases even of education.

There is, in this, great encouragement for the boys of our common schools. Railroading is perhaps more difficult now than it was thirty years ago, but the boys of today have greater educational advantages now than they had then.

If with these they have the same qualities as the lads of a past generation possessed, they may aspire to the highest position. The record of the great success of the score or so of these railroad men makes one think of the thousands of others who occupy the intermediate positions or remain on the lowest rung of the ladder. It is the very few, after all, who reach the heights of their ambition. The many must be content with the lower places. If their failure is due to no fault of their own, if they have done their best, they need not envy the men who have attained distinction. Their work, is in its way, as important as the highest.

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The wife of Secretary Taft will, if her husband is elected president, admirably fill the position of mistress of the White House. The following extracts from an interview with Mrs. Taft show, that while a progressive woman, she does not take the extreme views advocated by many of those who claim to be representative.

"I am old-fashioned enough to believe that woman is the complement of man, and that what is most feminine about her is most attractive to man, and therefore of the greatest utility to the world.

"Education for women, and as much as is obtainable, possesses, to my mind, far greater advantages than the commercial one of providing a means for making a livelihood. This is very great when necessary, but for the aggregate woman the highest mission is the ability to preside over a home and to fulfill the highest obligations of a hime with grace, dignity and exalted sense of duty.

"As for masculinity which comes from a college course, why, every sensible girl wants to become great and learned as a woman, not as a man, and she avoids acquiring all habits which have that tendency.

"I have always believed that women should vote. I favor bestowing upon them every civic right, but I should like to put in a prohibitory clause debarring them from running for public office."

WOMAN'S WORK

The anti-tuberculosis society met yesterday afternoon at half past two o'clock in the city hall. The president, Mrs. Jenkins, who had sent in her resignation, was unable to be present owing to illness. The secretary, Mrs. Janion, who was absent from the city had also resigned. In order to forward the business of the meeting, Mrs. Fagan was requested to take the chair. The election of officers then took place with the following result: President, Mrs. Frank Barnard; treasurer, Mrs. H. A. Munn; secretary, Mrs. Coles.

Dr. Fagan, who was present, addressed the meeting. He said that he was sorry to se that the society was without officers but hoped that now that it was reorganized the ladies would go to work with renewed zeal. He alluded to the report of the sanatorium at Tranquille and said that while it had done a great deal there was a greater work still to be done. There were forty-eight patients waiting for admission to the hospital which was full already. It had been said that the only object of this society was to collect money. That was a mistaken idea. It was certainly very necessary that money should be collected. It cost $55 a month for every patient admitted to Tranquille and there were not many who contributed so large a sum. So far the receipts from paying patients had not met the expenditure. Every month the management had found themselves $600 short. The question of money was not taken into consideration when a patient applied for admission. All that was asked was whether the case was such a one as would be benefited by treatment of the sanatorium. If so, the person was admitted and allowed to pay according to his or her ability. The highest charge was $14 a week. The great length of time during which a tuberculosis patient required treatment made it in many cases impossible to find the money to pay hospital charges. The second duty of the society was to study interests of local cases. This was work which such a body could do and which could not be done by Dr. Fagan or any one else as well. The co-operation of the city health officer should be obtained and he knew it would be readily given.

Mrs. Hardie spoke of the necessity of visiting such patients regularly.

Another most important object was to interest local school authorities in teaching the children how to prevent the spread of tuberculosis. This was very important. There was not sufficient attention paid to the teaching of hygiene in the school. The children should have systematic instruction in the laws of health. This would react upon the parents. Mrs. William Grant and Mrs. Hardie emphasized the ignorance that prevailed among mothers, otherwise intelligent as to the necessity for fresh air. Infants were often shut up in the sleeping room all day. In such cases it was impossible to ventilate the room properly.

Mrs. Grant thought that there were many things upon which much time was spent in the schools far less important to the future of the children than instruction as to the proper care of their bodies. A fourth object of the society as stated in the constitution was to urge upon the civic authorities the necessity of taking measures against the spread of tuberculosis (especially by means of the sputum). Practically nothing had been done about this. The notices had been disregarded and defaced. The ladies could do much to create a healthy public opinion on this subject. The last of the objects put before the society was to secure the co-operation of the clergy of the city in the work of stamping out tuberculosis.

It was resolved to leave the appointment of a committee, who should attend to local cases, to the officers of the society, in conjunction with Mrs. Hardie. In this connection Dr. Fagan took occasion to say that it was never intended by the order-in-council to force the hospitals to admit tuberculosis patients to the general wards, but to make suitable provision for their care. That this could be done with perfect safety was proved by the fact that at Brampton hospital in London no doctor or nurse had ever contracted the disease. It was pointed out that it would be far from kind to remove a dying patient to such a distance that his family could not see him. While under proper regulations tuberculosis patients could be safely treated, the example of Newfoundland, where the death rate from consumption had doubled within the last few years was adduced to show the terrible danger of want of care. This was attributed by a gentleman from that island with whom the doctor had conversed lately to the substitution of air-tight heaters for open furnaces and the want of care in disposing of the sputum. The doctor concluded with an appeal to the ladies to use all their efforts to stop the death rate from this terrible disease.

The meeting then adjourned, to meet on the third Monday in September, at 3 p. m.

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The ladies of St. Saviour's church will hold their annual sale of work at the grounds of the church this afternoon. Admission will be free. Refreshments will be served and an enjoyable programme has been arranged.

ON MONEY'S VALUE

In the Globe and Commercial Advertiser, Graham Hood gives some excellent advice on the value of money. He says:

"The proper appreciation of the value of money is one of the hardest lessons that we are obliged to learn and this circumstance is usually due to the fact that we are accustomed to postpone our efforts to learn it until we have become addicted to the many injurious habits of extravagance. If, instead of waiting until such a late day, however, these lessons had been imparted to us with our first instructions in the mysteries of the alphabet, the practice of economy might have come more naturally to us, and we should have avoided several petty trying experiences in which lack of money has played the principal part.

If parents could but appreciate this fact and would make up their minds to train their little ones in the best principles of economy early in life, the number of spendthrifts in the world would be greatly diminished. The habits that we form in the days of youth usually cling to us as long as we live. Sometimes, of course, if they become very unpleasant or injurious we make the necessary effort to break them, but ordinarilly we drift along with the tide without dreaming of making a determined attempt to row against it. It is so much easier to follow the current of habit that comparatively few of us are willing to exert the strength necessary to oppose it.

To teach these lessons of economy in the early days of childhood, however, would be one of the greatest possible protections that parental affection could devise to safeguard the happiness of the offspring. Then, too, it would be such a simple matter. Instead of teaching the child that the pennies he receives are given to him to be spent for candy or other means of gratifying the senses, he should be made to understand that each coin has a distinctive value, and that its expenditure today simply means that he will not have any money when that tomorrow comes in which he may have far more need for it.

There would be practically no difficulty in bending the mind of the child to take this view of the matter if parents would but take the trouble to guide the childish thought-process in the right direction. Like a tender twig, the mind of a child can be bent in one way or another without the exertion of a great deal of strength. Its ideas of material things are unformed until, through the example and instructions of its elders, it begins to form them, so it is largely to this influence that the child owes the character of his future thoughts and actions. Start a child in the right direction and there is a great probability that the right kind of habits may become well established before the temptation to go wrong has grown too strong to be resisted easily. Start the child wrong, however, and it is no easy task to set him right again. There is nothing that is more easily formed and that is broken with more difficulty than a bad habit. And the habit of extravagance is one of the worst to which a human being can become addicted.

In view of the fact that this purpose can be so easily accomplished in the beginning, it is somewhat strange that more parents do not take an interest in this phase of the child's development. It does not make any difference as to the wealth of the parents. Though they may be millionaires they must have seen many practical examples of the dangers that invariably threaten those who have never learned to appreciate the value of money. And, as a matter of fact, the mere loss of the money is in itself one of the least of the evils that are to be feared. Unwise as it may be to scatter money indiscriminately, the mere waste of the money is sometimes little more than an incident. In addition to this there are countless mental, moral and physical ills that follow in the wake of extravagance, and from these the son of the millionaire is in no respect immune.

In fact, whatever view we may take of this problem, we are compelled to admit that extravagance is insanity, and economy the only sane way of living. It is also quite apparent that childhood is the time in which the first lessons in economy may be imparted. The receptive mind of the child may grasp these truths and live up to them, and in this way many of the woes of life may be avoided. To teach such lessons to the future spendthrift, however, is a very difficult matter, for there are few habits that are harder to break than that of wasting money.

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In the morning put the rind on to boil in fresh water, cooking until tender, but not broken. Put the pieces on a sieve to dry.

Prepare a syrup of a cupful of water to a half pound of granulated sugar and boil until it begins to thicken, but is not at the cracking stage.

Dip the pieces of peel in brandy and then dip them into the syrup which must be kept hot until the pieces have been dipped and dried two or three times.

The next day reheat the syrup and dip again several times. Repeat this for three days, then dry off the pieces and pack in tin boxes with pieces of waxed paper between each two layers.

Preserving Pineapple Without Cooking

One of our readers has written for a recipe for preserving pineapples without cooking. The following is from a reliable source: To every pound of fruit use 1 lb. of sugar. Slice pineapple thin, put in alternate layers ½-inch of sugar and nearly 1 inch of fruit; press down hard with a spoon each layer of fruit and sugar; finish with the sugar; seal very tight.

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Cherry Pudding

Take one cup of cherry juice, canned fruits, one cup of sugar; yet come to boil and thicken with one tablespoonful of cornstarch, dissolved in a little water. When cool add one cup of cherries, drained of all juice, and fold in beaten whites of two eggs. Serve plain or with whipped cream.

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Marguerite Salad

Arrange on individual plates six small, crisp lettuce leaves. In the centre of these put a tablespoonful of mayonaise. This makes the centre of the daisy. Around the centre arrange narrow cut strips of the whites of hard boiled eggs to represent the daisy points. Mash the yolks through a sieve, and scatter over the mayonnaise to make the rough surface of the yellow centre. With care, this may be made an attractive dish.

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Potato Salad

For a German potato salad boil ten potatoes in their jackets and peel and slice them while they are warm. Mix with them half a green pepper cut into strips and two chopped onions. Make a dressing with half a cupful of oil, half a cupful of vinegar, a tablespoonful of salt and haft a teaspoonful of white pepper. Toss the vegetable mixture with the dressing without making it salvy, and at the last turn over of it add two tablespoonfuls of water. Serve cold, garnished with lettuce cut in strips and mixed with shreds of red pepper.

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Cress Salad

Allow the cress to stand in cold water for one hour; then free it from moisture by swinging it in a wire basket. Rub the salid bowl with a piece of garlic, lay in the sprays of cress, and put on the ice. Remove the kernels as nearly whole as possible from a cup of pecan nuts. Slice one tart apple very thin. When ready to serve, put the apples on top of the cress, sprinkle the nuts over them, pour over French dressing to which has been added a teaspoonful of sugar, mix well and serve.

HOUSEHOLD NOTES

Spots in light dresses may generally be removed by laying on them a paste made of fuller's earth and eau de cologne. Let it dry and then brush it off. A second application may be necessary.

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If one finds the sheets are being torn at the corners from pinning to the line strengthen this part of the hem by stitching several times across diagonally. There will be no more frayed edges.

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When flower leaves crinkle and turn gray it is a sign of mildew. Use flour of sulphur to correct the fault. Rose larvae are destroyed with hellebore and the much-dreaded aphis is killed with snuff, powdered tobacco or tobacco soapsuds. Meal bugs dislike strong soapsuds.

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A useful addition to the kitchen table is a crossbar for hanging up spoons and other utensils. Two vertical laths are nailed to the side of the table, one at each end. The transverse bar is fixed to these. This is provided with hooks and forms a convenient rack. The hooks may be screwed to the edges of the table.

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Don't throw away your scraps of velvet. They can be used as cleaners for all sorts of things.

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Keep all the kitchen utensils in one place, and a small one at that; it will save time and steps.

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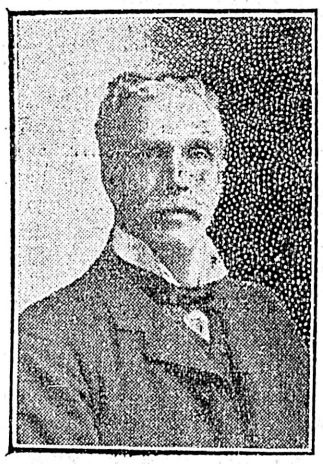

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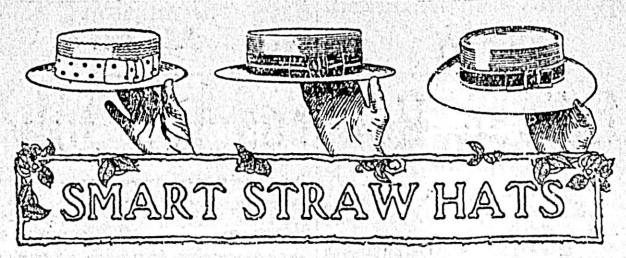

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THE POSSIBILITY OF FORMING COAST LEAGUE

Mainland Clubs Strongly Favor Reorganization of the Soccer Association

"The proposed formation of a North Pacific coast soccer league was advocated strongly by Con Jones while he was cycling with his three boys from Nanaimo to Victoria lately, and the Colonist produces an interview with him. In it he expressed the opinion that there should be no difficulty in getting Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Victoria, Vancouver, and Seattle to join the league and it was possible too that clubs would enter from other sound cities and from still further down the coast. He believed in enlarging the league until it became international in scope and he felt that when there was really an international favor about the games, they would greatly advance in popularity. He wanted to see soccer hold such a place of pride on this coast during the winter as it had in Great Britain and in his opinion it was only a matter of time. It would be necessary of course that teams entering the league at the start should be of good ability and as a matter of fact there were many good soccer players below the line.

"The Victoria Times characterizes the proposal as a conspiracy to knock the British Columbia association, and its wrath seems directed at the scheme because the B. C. association is at present managed in Victoria. The writer regrets, however, that this year the likelihood that the power will be transferred to Vancouver when the election of officers comes up. He points out that there is nothing in the constitution to prevent the sound cities joining the B. C. league, but is it not quite probable that teams from below the line would object to that name being the name of their association. Anyhow both associations will have their separate work."—Vancouver World.

FAMOUS RUNNER TO TOUR THE DOMINION

Alfred Shrubb Prepared to Meet Longboat at Any Time

New York, June 29.—Alfred Shrubb, the famous runner, who landed in this city some days ago, accompanied by his wife and child, will, if present plans materialize, make another trip to Canada, where he will arrive in the fall. The world-famous athlete announces that he is going to make a tour of the United States and Canada again this year.

Shrubb says he is in great shape and prepared to run any man in the world, including Longboat, from two miles up to twelve, for any amount. He expects to leave for Toronto next month, but will return here. Later he will make a trip to the West, and may visit Vancouver about the end of September. He is in such good shape that he expects to break a few more records this summer.

While here he will also try for some new world's records. "If I can get on Traver's Island," said the distance runner, "and I think I can arrange it, I will try to beat my six and seven mile records—29 mins. 59 2-5 secs, and 35 mins. 4 3-5 secs. I will also try for twelve miles and the hour record." Shrubb's hour record is eleven miles and 1,137 yards.

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OAK BAY VICTORY

Capital Nine Defeated in Junion Ball Game at Beacon Hill

A junior baseball match was played between the Oak Bay and Capital teams last evening at the hill. It was won by the former by a score of 5 to 3. The match was interesting, the boys of both sides displaying a keenness of spirit which added to the ginger of the conflict and acted as a lubricant on the voices of the rooters in attendance. The game was umpired by Sam Bowers, whom, the Capitals claimed, was not fair to them. Doubtless, however, Mr. Bowers acted to the best of his ability and it is equally probable that the losing nine viewed his actions through jaundiced eyes. Macdonald, who played second base for the Oak Bay team, was one of the stars of his aggregation. Art Pike, behind the bat, for the Capitals, was a hero among his fellows because of the very plucky exhibition he gave throughout the contest.

ANNUAL TOURNEY

Club Series of Local Association Opens Next Saturday—Many Entries

The annual tournament of the Victoria Lawn Tennis club will be opened on Saturday afternoon next at the Belcher street courts. It was intended that the first matches should take place on Monday, but owing to the exceptinonally large number of entries and the necessity of completing the series in one week it has been deemed necessary to make the change. The tourney will include men's singles and doubles, ladies' singles (open) for the Flumerfelt cup, won last year by Miss Marion Pitts, and mixed doubles. Entries will close on Thursday evening at 6 o'clock. All applications, accompanied by the fee of $1 will be received by G. R. Talbot, secretary 1007 Government street.

GLORIOUS BREEZE BROUGHT OUT BOATS

Fine Weather Yesterday Resistless Attraction to Victoria Yachtsmen

That the royal sport—yachting—is beginning to assume its past ascendency over Victorians, who incline to aquatic amusements, was plainly evinced yesterday. The club had not called for a cruise but the beautiful day and the spanking breeze that blew across the straits was too much for the majority of those who possess sailing boats or who have friends with proprietory rights over one. So Victoria's fleet slipped anchor, almost as one, and spent the afternoon in merrily traversing the waters between the mouth of James Bay and Esquimalt harbors and Albert Head. Many impromptu races took place and when evening came on the yachtsmen turned the bows of their craft homeward feeling that satisfaction which comes after thorough enjoyment of a congenial pastime.

The development of the local yachting spirit is not only evinced by the increasing numbers of sail boats owned in this city. As has been stated on previous occasions the membership of the resuscitated organization has increased to such an extent that the officials are looking forward, in imagination, to an exceedingly rosy future. The new club house is well under way and should, in the course of a few weeks, be ready for occupancy. In fact the outlook is so encouraging that those interested predict that in another season the club will be in a position to have constructed a challenger for the Alexandra cup, to be competed for in Vancouver in a few days, and to take such an active part in the international races that a strong bid may be made for the holding of the competitions here. That is what yachtsmen anticipate. It is what they are going to work for. They are firmly convinced that this city possesses all the necesary requirements for the bringing off of such contests to the best possible advantage and they intend putting the local association on such a basis that it will be not the least important of those identified with the international body in control of the annual competitions.

CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH ATTRACTING ATTENTION

Both Gotch and Roller Training Hard for Forthcoming Struggle

Seattle, June 27.—If toiling over the hills of Seattle and sweating in the gymnasium two hours a day was not sufficient evidence that Champion Gotch intends to be at his best when he defends his title against Dr. B. F. Roller, of Seattle, at the Coliseum next Wednesday night, the fact that he has been engaged for forty weeks at a salary of $1,000 a week to go on the road with a vaudeville sketch should convince the doubting Thomases that the champion is not going to lose his title if he can help it.

If Gotch was not the champion of the world he would not get an offer of $1,000 a week to go on the road. That is more money than the United States pays its chief executive. If Roller beats Gotch here next Wednesday night, Roller will be the man the theatrical chaps will be after and not Gotch, for Roller and not Gotch will then be the card. Frank Gotch is a shrewd young fellow and no one knows better than himself how soon an atnlete drops out of the public eye if he meets with reverses, so he is not going to lose to Roller on account of not being in condition.

Exaggerated stories are often told about the big salaries paid vaudeville stars and most of them can be taken with a grain or a sack of salt, but Frank Gotch is not a blowhard and he has the documents to prove that he is to get a larger salary than President Roosevelt gets. Two Chicago men are going to stage the sketch in which Gotch will be the star, and he was notified yesterday that his engagement would last forty weeks, beginning September 1. His salary for the first twenty weeks will be $1,000 a week; for the second twenty weeks, during which he will tour the western states and probably visit Seattle, will be $1,100 per week.

In the sketch Gotch will represent a big, happy-go-lucky young fellow who made good in everything at college except his studies, and who cannot be prevailed upon to take life seriously. His father goes broke on Wall street and the horrible probability of having to go to work, looms large before the startled vision of the husky son.

A race track plunger, a warm friend of the father, has for months been grooming an American wrestler to meet a terrible grappler from over the seas. He is in $20,000 and just a week befoe the date of the match the American wrestler sprains his thorax or something in practice and the race track man can plainly hear the growl of the wolf of want at his door.

Suddenly a bright idea strikes him. Why not put the young husky college boy on against the European Terror? Gotch, disguised as a college boy, laughs at the suggestion. "That big fellow would toss me out of the ring," he says.

But the race track man is desperate. He must save that money and the husky youngster is the only man in sight to save it for him. Finally the youngster is prevailed upon to consider the matter seriously and expert trainers are engaged to get him in shape.

The big match is pulled off in Madison Square Garden, and of course the youngster wins, but not until after there has been a terrific struggle. It is presumed that the European champion will be made up with stuffed shoulders so as to look like Hackenschmidt.

There is no moral to the sketch unless it is to show that higher education pays. Frank is supposed to smile his prettiest while receiving the congratulations of papa, mamma, a pretty sister, the race track man and the supers who will constitute the howling mob.

The wrestling part of the sketch each night will last three minutes, and for doing this and trying to look like an advertisement for ready-made clothing (see that shoulder), while sauntering through the first part of the sketch, Frank will receive $1,000 per week—$142.86 a day. Beats pitching hay in an Iowa harvest field, eh?

But if Roller should beat Gotch next Wednesday night, it will probably be the Seattle man and not the Iowa farmer boy who will be engaged to do the Rah-Rah Boy stunt. But Frank says there will be no change in the arrangements, which is his way of stating that he does not think Roller can beat him.

The advance sale of seats at the Coliseum opened this morning, and the crowd in front of the entrance looked as if there was a bargain sale inside. The capacity of the Coliseum will be taxed to handle the crowd that will turn out to see the classiest wrestling match ever pulled off on the Pacific coast, and the wise ones got in early and got their choice of seats.

AMERICAN ATHLETES GATHER IN NEW YORK

United States Olympic Representatives Off For the Old Country

New York, June 26.—During the last few days the American Olympic team has been greatly strengthened numerically, the material being supplied from the supplemental list. According to manager Halpin, the team numbers eighty-six, with a possibility of a few more being added before the ship leaves her dock tomorrow morning. The list now booked does not, of course, include Dray, Rowe, and Whiteham, the first string selections, who have declined to make the trip.

The members of the team will be mustered at the New York Athletic Club tonight, when they will meet the American Olympic committee for final instructions, and it said their patriotism will be aroused by several stirring speeches. Of those from afar, Bella, Smithson, Ramey, Huff, Rector, and Garres already are in town limbering up after their long journey by rail. Hebner, Jacobs, Foster, Gadzik, and Holmes left Chicago yesterday morning and Barak will be here this afternoon. Everett C. Brown of the Chicago A. C. wired Manager Halpin yesterday that Burroughs, the discus thrower, would reach here on Saturday, but Halpin wired back saying it was gauging the matter too close and advised that the big man take the train for the East yesterday.

The Philadelphia is scheduled to leave the dock at 10.30 tomorrow morning, and no matter which way Burroughs might come he would have a hard hustle to reach the wharf in time.

VICTORIA NINE TO PLAY BALLARD TEAM

Fast Baseball Match Anticipated Tomorrow on Oak Bay Diamond

Tomorrow afternoon the fast Ballard team will meet the Victoria nine on the Oak Bay diamond. The visitors have the reputation of being one of the crack Sound teams and will no doubt give the local bunch a hard game. Ballard will send over their strongest bunch and promise to break the locals winning streak. Their battery will be Woodworth and Wineholt, who are well known to the fans, both having played here in past seasons.

The members of the local club had a hard practice last evening and are all in splendid form for the game. Rithet will play third in place of Lang, who has a very sore arm which only a good rest will bring back to condition. He will be back in the game on Saturday, by which time he expects his arm will be all right again. Russ, who made such a favorable impression on Saturday, will again play first base. The remainder of the team will be the same and Surplice and Robertson will be the battery. This combination will give the team the strongest hitting line-up they have had on the field this season and if Ballard can win out they will have to play mighty fast ball.

With the warm weather Surplice is getting into fine form and if favored with a good hot day tomorrow he promises to give the fans a surprise in the pitching line. The line-up of the teams is as follows:

Ballard		Victoria
Woodworth	Pitcher	Surplice
Wineholt	Catcher	Robertson
Fitzfierald	1st Base	Russ
Helins	2nd Base	Flummer
Groves	S. Stop	McQuade
Keppler	3rd Base	Rithet
Jake	R. Field	McConnell
Justries	C. Field	Blaney
Clay	L. Field	Wattelct

The game will be called at the usual time, three o'clock. As an exceptionally large crowd is looked for, the tramway company will put on all the available cars on the runs so that there will be no delay in handling the crowd after the game.

At Port Angeles

On Saturday, July 4, the Victoria team will play at Port Angeles. As there are three steamers leaving for Angeles on that day, no doubt a large number of fans will go over to see the game as well as enjoy the big celebration. Peden will do the twirling against Angeles.

Another Game

A week from Saturday the crack Bellingham team will play here. This should be another fine game as Bellingham has a particularly good nine this season.

It is not enough to have earned our livelihood, the earning itself must have been serviceable to mankind.—R. L. Stevenson.

When death, the great reconciler, has come, it is never our tenderness that we repent of, but our severity.—George Eliot.

Mistakes are the lessons of wisdom. The past cannot be changed. The future is yet in your power.—Hugh White.

VICTORIA YACHT OFF FOR REGATTA

Gwenol Left for Mainland Under Own Sail Yesterday Morning

One of Victoria's finest yachts, the Gwenol, left yesterday morning for Vancouver under her own sail. She is a fine craft with a wide expanse of canvas, and a speed that will enable her to take part in the majority of contests without fear of being left far in the rear. The Gwenol is manned by Commodore Gibb of the local club, who is acting as skipper, and Messrs. Forbes, Pigott, Foote and Askley. Although they had not made up their minds at the time they passed out of the harbor as to whether they would enter any of the international competitions which will be in progress in Vancouver tomorrow and the day following, it is believed the Gwenol will be entered in at least one, and perhaps several, contests against craft of her class. The departure of the boat was witnessed by a number of enthusiasts who, while regretting their inability to accompany the adventurers to the mainland, did the next best thing by wishing them the best that luck could bring. Those who know the capabilities of the Gwenol, particularly in choppy weather, predict that she has a good chance of carrying off some of the honors offered in conection with the regatta at the Terminal City.

SHAWNIGAN REGATTA EARLY IN AUGUST

Money Subscribed for Prizes and Programme Committee Appointed

Considerably over $200 has been subscribed by residents of Shawnigan Lake, to be distributed in prizes for a regatta to be held there on the 8th of August. The assistance of a number of Victoria sportsmen, in the habit of spending their weekly holiday and summer vacation at that resort, has been obtained in a drafting of a programme. All interested are enthusiastic. They held a meeting on Sunday at Koenig's hotel when it was agreed that the events would be much the same as those which marked the aquatic celebration at the lake mentioned last year. A special train would be engaged for the convenience of those who wish to participate and witness the sports, and arrangements, it was decided, would be made for a dance to take place on the evening of the regatta, one of the local bands being engaged to furnish the music.

The committee in charge of the programme comprises C. G. Dundas, Alex. Peden, T. Geiger, P. Cudlip, W. H. Cullin, H. Garnett, A. Cheek, and others. They will lose no time in taking up the details requiring attention, it being their desire that Aug. 8 be made memorable among those to whom Shawnigan lake is a favorite resort. They point out that no better course for canoe and boat races could be found anywhere. On this account, and because there will be handsome prizes offered, it is expected that when the list of events is published each will attract a large number of competitors. It is the intention of the hotel proprietors to decorate their houses on the occasion and in all probability, there will be an award for the best decorated or illuminated boat or canoe. This feature has never been introduced at Shawnigan, and it is thought that that wide expanse of water, surrounded by towering mountains, may be made a picture of beauty by arousing general interest in such a display as is common to the Gorge on Victoria Day.

SHOOT AT WILLOWS

Number of Trophy Competitions Under Auspices of Capital Club

A shoot was held on the 28th at the Willows traps under the auspices of the Capital gun club in which participated members from both the local organizations. In the Dupont trophy competition at 25 singles Leavell was first with 24, Lenfesty, second with 21, while Messrs. Stevenson, Patten and Fitcher secured 19 each and Messrs. Adams Bechtell and Dodds 18 apiece. It is required that contestants shoot at 25 birds five times the best three scores counting in the totals at the finish. The Winsby medal, 15 singles, gun under elbow, unknown trap and angle, possible 15, brought out a large number of the members of the Capital club. The principal scores were: Leavell, Bechtell and Lenfesty who has won the trophy twice. The former, now, is on even terms with the latter and the next competition between the two will, unless some dark horse steps to the front, decide the issue. It is probable that the next time this medal will be in competition will be in July. The Capital club medal scores were: Stevenson and Lohbrunner, 14 each; Leavell, Lenfesty and Lewis, 12 each. The record of 19 straight made by Leavell in the struggle for the Coleman trophy was not beaten on this occasion.

LONGBOAT WILL RUN

Canadian Long Distance Man Entered for Olympic Contests

Montreal, June 29.—A London cable says: Longboat's entry has been received in proper form and there is absolutely no doubt as to the eligibility of the Canadian for the Olympic games. He will be pitted against a hundred and thirty competitors representing at least ten nations: Belgium, Bohemia, Finland, France, Germany, Holland, Hungary, Italy, Norway, the United Kingdom and the United States.

EXODUS OF LOCAL SPORTSMEN TODAY

J.B.A.A. Oarsmen Leave for Seattle—Cricketers for Vancouver

An exodus of Victoria sportsmen will occur today. The J. B. A. A. crews to row in the N.P.A.A.O. regatta that is to be held on the 3rd and 4th of July, on Lake Washington, Seattle, will leave for that city in order that they may have a few days in which to accustom themselves to the course over which the championship races will be rowed.

The Y. M. C. A. field teams will take the Vancouver boat for the mainland to be on hand to participate in the Dominion day sports at the Terminal city. With them will be the members of the Victoria cricket club team who will meet the Vancouver eleven in a match, the result of which will have an important bearing on the provincial championship. And, besides, there will be a contingent of shot gun artists, members of the Victoria and Capital Gun clubs, whose intention it is to enter the competitions to be held in Vancouver in connection with the celebrations.

It would be out of place to enter into a detailed explanation of what each contingent expects to do or how all have been training during the past few weeks in preparation for the struggles which now are so near at hand. That has been gone over more than once in these columns already. In reference to the James Bay crews who will fight for the Pacific coast championships against the best that any rowing club of the Pacific northwest can produce it is interesting to note that they were faithful in their training to the end. They held their final practice spins, under the anxious eye of Coach Dan O'Sullivan, last evening. And they did well—every one of them. Those, under whose tuition they have been working during the past months are confident that they will be able to carry the club's colors—blue and white—to victory in more than one of the contests for which they are entered.

The Y. M. C. A. athletes, also, are in godo condition and can be depended on to make some important winnings. Of the cricketers, suffice it to say that they held their last general practice match on Saturday. There was a large attendance and the game gave them the opportunity they wanted to put the finishing touches on their play. Their eleven is the strongest possible to select on this part of the island—faster, it is said, than that which defeated the crack Vancouverites by such a wide margin but a few weeks ago.

The members of the gun club teams, who are the same, substantially as what was published in these columns the other day, feel sure that they will capture some of the purses offered, providing the conditions at the mainland traps are at all similar to those met with her at the Willows or at Langford plains.

The June Groom

In admiring the array of handsome presents lavished upon the bride, finds it's up to him to buy the really necessary articles to be properly equipped for house-keeping.

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BURNING HUTS ALONG THE E. & N. RAILWAY

Ownerless Houses on C. P. R. Land Frequented By the Poachers

The ashes of a hut which had been a landmark in the vicinity of Welch's station on the E. & N. railway line, caused considerable conjecture among sportsmen returning from different resorts yesterday afternoon. Was it an accident that this small house was burned or was it by design? These were questions that were handed backward and forward without satisfactory replies being received.

Enquiry today elicited the information that the house in question was destroyed by order of the railway authorities. It had been occupied by a man named Brown who, some time ago, was arrested and charged with shooting grouse out of season. Although not convicted it was the opinion of those in power that if this house and others in that locality were put out of the way it wouldn't be possible to engage in illegal hunting with the same facility as at present. The opinion was that "pot hunters" from the city went to these resorts and there cached their game until they found a favorable opportunity to bring it to the city for the market. Therefore it has been decided to set fire to all small houses in that and other districts along the railway and on C. P. R. land that have, apparently, no owners.

Although there have been no recent arrests for infractions of the Game Act, it is understood that the constables are on the track of a number who are so engaged on Vancouver Island. They report that there has been shooting going on but that it is difficult to so capture their quarry that it would be impossible to secure a conviction. However, they intend to continue their efforts and hope to prevent the wholesale slaughter of grouse before the opening of the season that has prevailed in previous years.

SEASON'S PROGRAMME

Automobile Club Members to Consider Summer Sport at Next Meeting

"We have nothing definite as yet towards arranging for summer outings or sport of any kind," remared the secretary of the Victoria Automobile Club yesterday. He added, with a smile, that the members were looking forward with some anxiety to an announcement from the city council as to what action would be taken on the speed limit question. However, that matter would be decided within a few days and, in all probability, a meeting of the club would take place to receive the city fathers' reply. On that occasion the arrangementds for the season would come up for discussion. He could not predict what would be done but, according to report, it was likely that the members would do something towards getting local automobile owners together for a run every fortnight or, perhaps, oftener.

DUAL VICTORY

Quebec Golfers Defeated Ontario Amateur and Professional Players

Montreal, June 29.—Quebec won a dual victory on Saturday on the Dixie golf links when the Canadian golf championship contest opened with inter-provincial matches between Quebec and Ontario amateurs, and Quebec and Ontario professionals. In both contests the Quebec golfers beat their western opponents, the amateurs defeating their confreres from the neighboring province by 7-2, while the professionals had a somewhat closer contest, one game settling the six-a-side match.

READY TO CHALLENGE FOR THE AMERICA CUP

Sir Thomas Lipton Would Try Again Under Certain Conditions

London, June 29.—The Field announces that Sir Thomas Lipton is prepared to challenge again for the America cup, under the following conditions:

First—The new yacht shall be cutter-rigged and built under the present universal rule of the New York Yacht Club.

Second—The New York Yacht Club shall designate the size of the yacht it considers most suitable for the race.

Sir Thomas, when seen by the Associated Press at Dunoon, Scotland, today said that the Field's statement was perfectly correct, and he added: "I hope my American friends will see their way clear to meet my wishes in the interests of sport. The size of the boat is no objection, and I am willing to build under the universal rule. When I can get assurance that the challenge will be accepted, I will issue it."

It is understood that the intention of Sir Thomas, with the New York Yacht Club's permission, is to build two yachts of a class designated by that club after designs by Fife, and select the better to compete for the cup.

May Accept

A report was circulated today that the New York Yacht Club has announced that it is ready to accept a challenge from Sir Thomas Lipton for a yacht race for the America's cup under the new rules governing the building and measuring of the racing craft. At the New York Yacht Club it was denied that any such decision had been made.

"I like people to say their mean things to my face."

"I don't. I'm always so flabbergasted that I can't ever think of a crushing reply."

"I guess you coal men didn't make much profit this winter."

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AVERAGE 164 REVOLUTIONS

This Best Work Done By Engines of C. P. R. Liner—Tide Not Strong

The steamer Princess Victoria has again broken her previous records and set a new mark for the fastest time made by any merchant steamer between Victoria and Vancouver. The record was broken by five minutes. The new time of the fast C.P.R. ferry liner is three hours and nine minutes. The best time priviously made was three hours and sixteen minutes. This record was made last summer. Capt. Griffin and Chief Engineer Brownlee are confident that the fine liner can accomplish the trip between Victoria and Vancouver under three hours with a favorable tide. On Sunday when the Princess Victoria reached port from Seattle with 488 passengers she was fifteen minutes in advance of her schedule, and when the lines were thrown off at 12.45 p.m. for the trip to Vancouver the prospects seemed good for a favorable tide. The captain and engineer accordingly decided to "open her out a little." The three firemen were let into the scheme and they decided that, although the weather was hot, they didn't mind perspiring a little more and determined to keep the fires going. They did. The tide, however, was disappointing. Theye was practically no tide until James Island was passed opposite Sydney and then the run out aided a little. The aid was far from what had been anticipated, though. The engines were turning over well, though, and the officers concluded to keep up the effort. The indicator showed 164 revolutions to the minute. The best done previously was 156¾ to the minute. The average speed was 22.9 knots an hour. The best previous average was 21.6 knots.

When it is considered that the steamer Princess Victoria was built to plans which called for an eighteen-knot passenger steamer the reserve speed given by the builders, Swan, Hunter & Wigham Richardson, famous for the world's fastest merchant steamer built at their yard, the Cunard liner Mauretania, is considered remarkable by shipping men, and, they say if the new steamer Princess Charlotte being built by the Fairfield Shipbuilding & Engineering company on the Clyde as a 20 knot passenger steamer has a similar reserve speed she will be the fastest passenger steamer in any of the world's ferry services.

The Princess Victoria ranks very high among the interport passenger steamers on short runs. She is the fastest on this continent. Her only rivals are the fast cross-channel ferry steamers operating from Great Britain to Channel ports. The world's fastest ferry steamers are those of the Dover-Ostend line, also Princesses, the best being the turbine steamer Princess Elizabeth.

The only voyage made faster between Victoria and Vancouver than that of the Princess Victoria was made about eight or nine years ago by the torpedo destroyer Sparrowhawk on the occasion of the runaway paymaster from Esquimalt being reported to be leaving Vancouver on the steamer Alpha for Cape Nome. The Sparrowhawk made the trip in 2½ hours, under forced draught, on that occasion.

STEAMSHIP LINE TO YUKON POINTS

Opposition Service to Northern River Established By J. K. Smith, of This City

Joseph K. Smith, general manager of the British Coast Steamship company of this city is in the city arranging for a competitive line to Yukon points to Seattle to be operated with the steamer Maverick, or A. G. Lindsay as she is now known in connection with the sternwheeler Julia B. and her barges. J. K. Smith has been appointed general manager of the Alaska Navigation company which will operate a line. The Maverick has been chartered by the company from the Northern Steamship company, and reached Seattle yesterday from Aberdeen. She is now known as the A. G. Lindsay, and application is pending for the change of her name to Maverick. With her sailing from Seattle tomorrow for the north a move will be begun by the independent traders to bring competition into the business with interior Alaskan points.

By operating in conjunction with the Julia B., the two barges and steamboat Monarch on the Yukon and the steamboat Nuniyak on the Kuskokwin the Alaska Navigation Company promises a thorough rate to interior points in competition with the old established companies now in the river business. James K. Smith, general manager of the Alaska Navigation company made the following statement of the company's plans:

"The A. G. Lindsay has been chartered for two years. By operating in connection with the Julia B., and her barges, we will be able to give traffic through bills of lading to interior Yukon river points and Fairbanks. The Lindsay has been advertised as the Maverick, because we applied for permission to change the name. Because we failed to advertise this change as the law demands, permission was refused. The Lindsday is 205 feet long, thirty-eight feet in beam and of fifteen feet depth of hold. She is especially built to buck the ice, with ribs sixteen by twenty inches and oak sheathing."

Asked if the Lindsay would carry freight for transhipment by the independent steamboat Monarch, operated by Vachon & Sterling, Mr. Smith stated that the Lindsay would serve all independent boats on the river.

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MARINE INTELLIGENCE

Special to the Colonist

Tatoosh, 8 a.m.—Clear, wind northeast, 24 miles an hour. In, schooner Prosper; a schooner and a bark.

Port Crescent, 8 a.m.—Inward, schooner Fearless and schooner Mindora, towing.

Tatoosh, noon—Clear, northeast wind, 20 miles an hour. In, schooner Prosper. Out, a German ship and U. S. S. Kearsage.

Tatoosh, 6 p.m.—Fair, wind northeast, 15 miles an hour. In, bark Nestor at 12.45 p.m.; the steamer Governor at 5.50 p.m. Out, U. S. S. Rhode Island at 12.45 p.m.; steamer Appalachee at 5.15.

By Wireless

Tatoosh, 9 a.m.—Clear, wind northeast, 4 miles an hour. Bar. 30.25, temp. 53. No shipping.

Estevan, 9 a.m.—Thick fog, a light easterly breeze, sea calm. No shipping.

Pachena, 9 a.m.—Clear, a light westerly wind, calm. No shipping.

Cape Lazo, 9 a.m.—Clear, light north wind. Bar. 30.27, temp. 62. Steamship Humboldt off Cape Mudge, southbound, at 6.30 a.m. Later: Humboldt passed south at 8.30 a.m.

Point Grey, 8 a.m.—Clear, wind west. Bar. 30.19, temp. 64. No shipping.

Tatoosh, noon—Clear, wind northeast, 20 miles an hour. Bar. 30.20, temp. 58. Out, a three-masted ship at 9 a.m.; U. S. S. Rhode Island. In, the schooner Prosper at 9.30.

Estevan, noon—Thick fog; sea calm, wind southwest. No shipping.

Pachena, noon—Clear, light variable breeze, sea calm. No shipping.

Cape Lazo, noon—Clear, light northerly wind. Bar. 30.25, temp. 65. No shipping.

Point Grey, noon—Clear, wind northwest. Bar. 30.18, temp. 68.

Tatoosh, 6 p.m.—Fair, wind northeast, 15 miles an hour. Bar. 30.13, temp. 56. In, bark Nestor and schooner in one tow, at 12.45 p.m.; steamer Governor, at 5.50 p.m. Out, U. S. S. Rhode Island at 12.45 p.m.; steamer Appalachee at 5.15 p.m.

Estevan, 6 p.m.—Clear, fog is lifting, light west wind, calm sea. No shipping.

Pachena, 6 p.m.—Clear, westerly breeze, sea calm. No shipping.

Cape Lazo, 6 p.m.—Clear, light west wind. Bar. 30.27, temp. 74. No shipping.

Point Grey, 6 p.m.—Clear, and strong west wind. Bar. 30.18, temp. 78. No shipping.

By Coast Wire

Carmanah, 9 a.m.—Light east wind, clear, sea smooth. Bar. 30. A bark and two schooners bound in. A ship towing, out. A U. S. warship, out.

Cape Beale, 9 a.m.—Calm, and clear, sea smooth. No shipping.

Carmanah, noon—A moderate east wind, clear, sea smooth. No shipping.

Cape Beale, noon—Calm, and cloudy, sea smooth. No shipping.

Carmanah, 6 p.m.—Light west wind, clear, sea smooth. Bar. 30.10. Tramp steamer, out, at 5 p.m. and a large two funnel steamer in—looks like Australian boat.

GIVES STATE SUBSIDY

Louisiana Makes Arrangements to Give Assistance to a Steamship Service

The state of Louisiana has determined to grant what is in efect a state shipping subsidy. The object of the grant will be a quasi-public steamship company, organized to conserve to the Missippi valley states in general and to Louisiana in particular, the advantages to be derived rom the Panama canal.

The assembly has been asked by a committee of ninety-five New Orleans business and professional men, including some of the wealthiest men in the state, to incorporate them under the title of the Mississippi Valley and Orient Steamship company.

A domestic steamship line is then proposed as the means of securing this commerce. Capitalization is to be $10,000,000, with the privilege of increasing to $50,000,000.

The subsidy feature is to consist in exemption of the property of this corporation from all state taxation until 1925. To make the incorporation of the company effective a constitutional amendment will be necessary.

The steamer Vadso of the Boscowitz Steamship company will not sail for Naas, Prince Ruport and way ports until Thursday this week, being held over on account of the holiday.

ORDER ENFORCING COASTING LAWS

Collector of Customs, J. C. Newbury, Receives Instructions

The new regulations for the enforcement of the Canadian coastwise regulations which had been temporarily withdrawn with regard to United States shipping has been received by the collector of customs, J. C. Newbury, from the commissioner of customs at Ottawa. The regulations will be enforced after August 1, following which no United States bottoms will be permitted to trade between two Canadian ports or carry Canadian freight in transit to a Canadian port. The enforcement of the regulations will have the effect of throwing much business now shared with foreign steamers to Canadian shipping. The order from the commissioner of customs which is dated from Ottawa on June 22, and is addressed to all collectors of customs in British Columbia, reads as follows:

On and after 1st August, 1908, the regulations set forth on pages 19 and 20 of Memo. 1155-B, will apply to goods duty paid in Canada, and to Canadian products and manufactures carried by water route between any seaport in British Columbia and a Pacific port in the United States south of British Columbia.

Such goods when transported by water from the United States, unless carried in British registered vessels, shall, upon arrival in Canada, be dealt with as imported goods.

Canadian customs officers are instructed not to sign or certify any customs manifests for the transportation of the said goods by water route as in bond or free, on and after August 1st, 1908, except when the goods are carried in British registered vessels.

TENDERS FOR THE GEORGIA'S REPAIRS

Bids for Work on the Canadian-Mexican Liner to Close at Noon Today

Tenders for the repairs necessary to the steamer Georgia of the Canadian-Mexican line, which was recently given a mail contract by the Ottawa government in addition to the subsidy, will be received until noon today. The specifications call for considerable work to her decks, fittings, etc., made necessary as a result of the damage done by the shifting of her cargo when bound south on the last voyage. The Georgia which is lying at the wharf of the B. C. Marine railway, was surveyed by T. G. Mitchell, Lloyd's surveyor, and a survey was also held by Capt. Rennie at the instance of Capt. Worsnop, manager of the steamer, which is operated by Harris & Dixon, and is under charter to G. T. Symons & Co., for the Canadian-Mexican line.

The Georgia was scheduled to sail on Saturday and will probably miss a trip as the repairs will occupy four or five weeks.

MAKING BIG LIFTS

Salmon-Trap Tenders Bring Large Amount of Salmon to Inner Harbor

The steamers bringing scowloads of spring salmon to the packing plant in the inner harbor yesterday were well laden. The biggest lift made this season to date was brought to Wesley's plant yesterday when Capt. Frank Rucker with the steamer Mystery brought in forty tons of spring salmon to be mild-cured for shipment to Germany. The tug Bute with a scow from Capt. Matthew's fish traps at Sooke also arrived yesterday bringing seven tons of fish and the tug Dominion arrived with a scow laden with ten tons of fish on account of J. H Todd & Sons.

EMPRESS OF CHINA IS EXPECTED TODAY

Many Liners Are About Due—Fleet of Steamers Expected at Collieries

Many steamers are expected in port this week, including several large liners. The pilots also anticipate quite a large fleet bound to the Vancouver Island mines for bunker coal. The R.M.S. Empress of China of the C.P.R. is expected in port today from Hongkong and the usual ports of call in the Orient. The white liner was delayed in quarantine at Nagasaki owing to a suspected case of bubonic plague on board. When the steamer Aki Maru arrived in Seattle some days ago a report was circulated that there had been twelve deaths on board the steamer. This report is officially denied by the C.P.R. officials at Montreal who telegraphed that the steamer was detained for investigation as to a suspect, but no deaths occurred on board. The R.M.S. Marama of the Canadian-Australian line, which left Honolulu on Tuesday last, is also expected in port today. Sir James Mills, manager of the line, is among the passengers of the Marama. Following these liners the steamer Shawmut of the Boston Steamship company is expected from Manila and way ports on Friday and the R.M.S. Empress of India on the day following.

The steamer Madura, lumber laden from Portland, is expected this morning and the steamer M. S. Dollar is expected from San Francisco. Other steamers expected at the collieries during the week are the Guernsey, Sark and Tordenskjold.

VICTORIA FIGHTS WAY THROUGH THE ICE

Icebergs Towered High as the Steamer's Stack—Brought $650,000 From Cape Nome

The steamer Victoria, first of the Cape Nome fleet to return, reached Seattle on Sunday with sixty-two passengers and $650,000 in gold. The vessel was damaged by ice near the bow and a rudder pintle, one of the bolts attaching the rudder to the stern of the ship, was broken, hindering her management.

Officers and passengers of the ship describe the voyage to and from Nome an unprecedented battle with ice. Great bergs which drifted from the Arctic ocean last fall and are frozen in the Bering sea pack towered as high as the top of the steamship's stack and were found grounded in sixty-five feet of water. Leaving Nome June 18, the Victoria spent four days in the ice, and on the third day out was back within sight of Nome. That day Capt. Porter, by skirting far into west latitude, found a lead and the vessel got started southward, the ice continuing as far as Nunivak pass. From the pass a quick run was made.

"Never in the memory of the natives themselves has such ice been seen in Bering sea," declared Capt. Porter. "On our trip north we were forty-five miles from Nome on June 10. We reached solid ice June 7 and there we lay for almost eight days. June 13 the Olympia joined us and June 14 the Senator came along. The Senator pushed on on the 14th, but I waited almost a day before going on, for the ice didn't look good. Soon after I passed the Senator. There were fully 350 miles of ice to pass going up, and we traveled much farther than that, of course, in negotiating it. Returning, we met the ice as far south as Nunivak pass."

When the Victoria reached Nome she had twenty-two feet of water in the fore hold, due to a collision with an iceberg. The leak was patched at Nome so that the return trip was made safely. The extent of the damage cannot be learned until a careful examination is made. A diver at Nome made a survey and also discovered the damage to the rudder.

In the early morning of the fourth day out from Nome while the ship was driving far to the westward in an attempt to find a lead through the ice she narrowly escaped disaster on Pinnacle rock, a jagged point just south of St. Mathew island. Because of a thick fog the vessel was proceeding with caution and it is due to this that the rocks were sighted in time for the Victoria to sheer off.

WRECK OF MARIECHEN HAS BEEN RAISED

Vessel of Many Vicissitudes Recovered From Alaskan Waters By Local Company Again Salvaged

The hull of the wrecked steamer Mariechen was floated at Seattle on Sunday after being under water for some months. The wreck will probably be scrapped. This is the second time the vessel has been salved, the first ocasion being one of the notable works of the British Columbia Salvage Co., which raised the steamer from an Alaskan bay and brought her to Esquimalt. The second salving of the Mariechen was a satisfactory work. To make it possible two divers, William Benjamin and O. G. Peterson, working under the direction of Master Diver Capt. Henry Finch and Wreckmaster Lionel Gilchrist, have been working for months, tunneling through the slime and ooze fifty-eight feet below the surface of the water at high tide, crawling down to the keel of the vessel to fit immense wooden patches over the holes torn in the bottom at False bay, in March, 1906. The men have worked in constant danger not only from the perils of work under water, but because at any time their trenches and tunnels in the soft mud might have collapsed over them, or, worse still, might have undermined the great bulk of the steel hull overhanging them and brougth it down on their heads.

The Mariechen was wrecked at False bay while on the way to Nicolaeifsky from Seattle. The vessel met continuous rough weather off the Alaska coast and the fuel supply ran so low that it was decided to put into Dutch harbor to renew it. The ship drove ashore at False bay and the reefs tore two great jagged holes in the iron ship, beside making several smaller punctures.

The underwriters made arrangements with the British Columbia Salvage Co. to float the vessel for $37,000. This was successfully done and the wreck was brought to Esquimalt where it was turned over to the owners who finally sold it for $5000, about half of the dockage fees. It was sold to William Pigott and James A. Moore, of Seattle, after it had been towed to Seattle, where the hulk sank.

In order that the vessel might be pumped out it was necessary to remove the old wooden patches and put new ones in their places. The patches were on the port side, and when the ship sank it listed strongly to that side, so that the old patches, which were near the keel, were buried in the mud. The current of the East waterway continued to pile up slit and ooze from the Duwamish river against the side of the hulk covering the patchwork almost entirely.

Divers Dig Long Trench

Divers Finch and Peterson started by digging a trench six feet deep and three feet wide for thirty-eight feet along the side of the hulk. Then from this they tunneled at right angles under the overhanging side for twenty-two feet until they reached the keel of the vessel. This tunneling was done by means of a centrifugal pump, which carried out the soft ooze and mud.

Down in this constantly shifting, filling, hole in the river bottom the two divers started work tearing out the old patches in the vessel's hull and replacing them. Each plank was cut on the surface to the desired length and sent to the divers weighted with lead to insure its sinking. The largest patch, made of planks four inches thick, was twenty-five by thirty feet. Another was eighteen by seventeen feet, and there were three small patches.

When the pumps were started the old hulk, covered with slime and dismantled of everything save bare bones and iron skin, rose gradually.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF THE CHARTER MARKET

Chartering Active for Grain-Carriers—Lumber Business is Quiet Again

Chartering of vessels for new crop grain, northern loading, has been acive during the week and at the present time here are about thirty-five vessels under engagement, says the San Francisco Commercial News in its weekly review. Practically all have been taken at union rates. Recent advices from the north indicate that the grain crop is not turning out as well as had been expected. The weather has not been as favorable as it sould be at the close of the season, and as a consequence estimates of the yield are being reduced. It is figured now that the crop will not be as large as last year's, but considering the increased acreage it is not thought that the reduction will be heavy. The disengaged tonnage on the coast is steadily increasing, but is not heavy for this time of the year and there is not much likelihood of any reduction in rates.

Lumber chartering for offshore business has quieted down again. Steamers are holding out for higher rates, but this far are unable to obtain them. One, however, recently obtained a rate of 60s from Portland to Hamburg and Copenhagen. The demand from the Orient continues very light; practically nothing is doing in Australian business, and except for an occasional fixture of a small vessel for West Coast business nothing is doing in that direction either.

Offshore rates are quoted approximately as follows: Lumber from Puget sound or British Columbia to Sydney, 25s 9d@26s 3d; (sail), 30s; to Melbourne or Adelaide (steam), 27s 6d, (sail) 31s 3d; to Port Pirie (steam), 27s 6d; to Fremantle, 35s; to Japan ports (steam), 30s; to Callao, 40s; to direct nitrate port, 40s@42s 6d; Valparaiso for orders, 40s@42s 6d; 2s 6d less to a direct port; to South African port, 47s 6d; to U. K. or Continent, 52s 6d; to Guaymas, $6@6.50.

Foreign mail advices report the following fixtures: Eugene Schneider and Desaix, Antwerp to Portland or Puget sound, 8s; Jean Bart, Hull and Antwerp to San Francisco, 15s and 18s. Nitrate ports firmer. Australia wheat chartering dull, coal chartering quiet, Newcastle, N. S. W., to San Francisco, nominally 12s 6d to 13s 6d.

WILL REARRANGE THE TRANS-PACIFIC RATES

Meeting to Be Held This Week at Seattle by Representatives of the Steamship Lines

A meeting will be held in Seattle during this week to rearrange the freight schedule for the transpacific lines. It is expected that at this meeting rates for the transportation of wheat and flour from Pacific coast ports to the Orient will be increased again from $2 to $3 per ton, if the agents of the various lines interested have their way. The higher rate will go into effect from September 1 and continue in force for three months, if the majority of the representatives favor the increase. In the event that such action is taken, it will simply mean the restoration of the tariff which was in force until three months ago, when the old established lines decided to make an effort to drive out competition by slashing the rates on all cereal shipments.

But the object sought to be attained failed. Tramps were just as numerous as ever. Their owners did not only meet the cut, but accepted shipments as low as $1.75 a ton. The Jebser Steamship company, which is not controlled by the association, and operating a fleet out from the Sound in the Oriental trade, has proved a constant thorn in the sides of the old companies. It has always carried freight at a less figure than its competitors, and hope of forcing it out of business has been about abandoned.

Of late there has been a big movement of flour from the Pacific coast to Vladivostok. The regular tariff for making shipments to the Siberian port is $4 a ton. But some of the tramps have been hauling flour there at $2.50 a ton, despite the concerted action of the companies operating regular lines to get the business.

Capt. Hannah master of the Blue Funnel line steamer Pelus, now loading at Tacoma, and which is expected here next week, outbound, to load whale oil at the outer wharf, is in Victoria, paying a visit to his son, who s a resident of this city. Capt. Hanna's son, who was formerly master of a Butterfield & Swire steamer on the China coast, and gave up his command owing to trouble with his eyesight, is freight clerk on the steamer Tees of the C. P. R. on the west coast route.

Some changes have been made to the overdue list. The ship Schwarzenbek, the bark Niobe and the bark Lady Wolseley have been added to the list. The Schwarzenbek has been out 161 days from Seattle bound for the United Kingdom with a cargo of grain and is quoted for reinsurance at 8 per cent. The Niobe is also from Seattle, bound for Queenstown, and has been 144 days on her passage. She is quoted at 8 per cent also for reinsurance. The same rate is being asked for the Lady Wolseley, which left Astoria February 7 for Queenstown.

The steamer Quadra will leave in a few days, probably today, to engage in lighthouse and buoy work. The Quadra is discharging lighthouse machinery brought from Vancouver for Estevan point. This will be taken to the west coast by the steamer Leebro. The Cascade, which has returned after replacing the beacon on Walker rock, Trincomalie channel, will leave shortly with the bell buoy and beacon which has been undergoing a test at the marine department's wharf. This will be placed on Helen point, Active pass.

The steamer Tabor which went to Nanaimo to load bunker coal passed out yesterday bound to Portland to load for the Orient.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

Steamers to Arrive.

From the Orient.

Vessel.	From.	Due.
Shawmut		July 2
Empress of China		July 2
Empress of India		July 6
Lennox		July 19
	From Australia.	
Marama		July 2
Aorangi		July 30
Moana		Aug. 27
Manuka		Sept. 24
	From Mexico.	
Lonsdale		July 16
	From Liverpool.	
Keemun		Mar. 28
	From Skagway.	
Princess May		July 4
	Northern British Columbia Ports.	
Camosun		July 1
Amur		June 25
Venture		July 2
Vadso		June 27
	From West Coast.	
Tees		June 28
	From San Francisco.	
Governor		June 30
City of Puebla		July 4
Governor		July 9

Sailing Vessels.

Left.	Date.
Alta	Newcastle
Kynance, Liverpool	April 5
Haddon Hall, Liverpool	April 2
(Reached Montevideo in distress June 9)	
Falls of Dee, Iquique	May 7

Steamers to Sail.

For the Orient.

Line.	Date.
Aki Maru	July 7
For Australia.	
Marama	July 17
For Mexico.	
Georgia	July 4
For Skagway.	
Princess May	June 26
For Northern British Columbia Ports.	
Venture	July 8
Camosun	July 1
Vadso	July 1

Local Steamers.

Vancouver-Victoria.

Princess Royal.

Leaves Vancouver 9 a.m. daily except Wednesday.

Arrives Victoria 2 p.m. daily except Wednesday.

Steamer Charmer leaves Vancouver 1 p.m. daily.

Leaves Victoria 12 midnight, daily.

Arrives Victoria 7 p.m. daily.

Arrives Vancouver 7 a.m. daily.

Victoria-Seattle and Vancouver

Princess Royal

Leave Seattle 10 p.m. except Tuesday.

Arrive Vancouver 8 a.m. except Wednesday.

Leave Vancouver 9 a.m. except Wednesday.

Arrive Victoria 2 p.m. except Wednesday.

Leave Victoria 4 p.m. except Tuesday.

Arrive Seattle 9 p.m. except Tuesday.

Princess Victoria

Leave Victoria 1.30 a.m. daily except Tuesday.

Arrive Seattle 6.30 a.m.

Leave Seattle 8 a.m.

Arrive Victoria 12 noon.

Leave Victoria 12:45 p.m.

Arrive Vancouver 4.45 p.m.

Leave Vancouver 6 p.m.

Arrive Victoria 10 p.m.

Chippewa.

Leaves Victoria daily (except Thursday) at 4:30 p. m.

Arrives daily, 1:30 p. m.

Rosalie.

Leaves Victoria daily, except Tuesday, at 8:30 a. m.

Arrives Seattle 2:30 p. m.

Leaves Seattle 11 p. m., arrives Victoria 6:30 a. m.

Upper Fraser River.

Beaver.

Leaves New Westminster 3 a. m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday.

Leaves Chilliwack 7 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday. Calling at landings between New Westminster and Chilliwack.

Lower Fraser River.

Transfer.

Leaves New Westminster Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and Saturday, 2 p. m.; additional trip Monday 5 a. m.

Leaves Steveston Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, 7 a. m.; Friday 6 a. m. Additional trip Saturday 5 p. m.

Vancouver-Nanaimo (E. & N. Ry.)

Joan.

Leaves Nanaimo 7 a. m.

Leaves Vancouver 1:30 p. m. daily (except Sunday.)

Victoria-Nanaimo.

Nanaimo-Comox-Union—(E. & N. Ry.)

City of Nanaimo.

Leaves Victoria Tuesday 7 a. m. Arrives Nanaimo Tuesday 4 p. m.

Leaves Nanaimo Saturday 2 p. m. Arrives Victoria, Saturday, 9 p. m.

Leaves Nanaimo Wednesday, 7 a. m.

Arrives Union Bay and Comox Wednesday 2 p. m.

Leaves Union Bay and Comox Thursday, 7 a. m.

Arrives Nanaimo Thursday, 2 p. m.

Leaves Nanaimo Friday, 7 a. m.

Arrives Union Bay and Comox Friday, 2 p. m.

Leaves Union Bay and Comox Saturday 7 a. m.

Arrives Nanaimo Saturday, 1:30 p. m.

Sidney to Gulf Islands.

Iroquois, leaving Sidney Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday on arrival of V. & S. train.

Freight Rates.

Destination—	Puget Sound or B. C.
Sydney	28s 9d
Melbourne or Adelaide	30s
Port Pirie	28s 9d
Freemantle	35s
River Platte Ports	47s 6d
Japan ports	32s 6d
Shanghai	32s 6d
Taku	32s 6d
Callao	42s 6d to 43s 9d
Direct to Nitrate pts.	42s 6d to 43s 9d
Valparaiso for orders to discharge there and, or at one other port not north of Pisagua 2s 6d less direct	45s to 46s 3d
South Africa ports, Cape Town, Delagoa Bay Range,	52s 6d to 55s
Direct port United Kingdom	52s 6d
Cork for orders to discharge at a safe port, United Kingdom or continent, between H. & H.	55s

Grain.

For Portland or Puget Sound loading steamers are being paid 23s 9d for the United Kingdom or Continent, and sailers 22s 6d. For Japan ports, Shanghai or Taku, (strs.) $3.75 to $4.

The Overdue Market.

American ship Bangalore, 247 days from Norfolk for Honolulu, reinsurance 90 per cent.

Bark Ester, 203 days from Amsterdam for Macassar, 15 per cent.

Ship Fulwood, 140 days from Port Talbot for Iquique, 10 per cent.

Bark Medea, 153 days from Eureka, for the United Kingdom, 8 per cent.

British bark Carnedd Llewellyn, out 128 days from Caleta Buena for Falmouth, 10 per cent.

German bark Urania, out 131 days from Iquique for Hamburg, 8 per cent.

Recent Charters Reported by Hind, Rolph & Co.

Georgina

40s, Puget Sound to Callao, Marechal de Gontaut

31s 3d, Burrard Inlet to Sydney, W. F. Babcock

British Columbia to Unalaska; private terms.

S.S. Fitzpatrick

Ocean Island to U. K., etc.; private terms.

S.S. Rygja

British Columbia to Nome, Alaska, £1000—time charter, monthly.

Andorinha

Puget Sound or Portland to U. K., etc. Private terms.

Daghild

Puget Sound or Portland to U. K., etc. Union Rates. (New Season.)

Vigo

Puget Sound or Portland to U. K., etc. Union rates. (New season.)

Magdalene

Puget Sound or Portland to U. K., etc. Union rates. (New season.)

Peru

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Hon. W. J. Bowser, attorney general has returned to the capital.

Chief Justice Hunter left this morning on the Charmer for Vancouver.

Mr. A. V. Kenah is leaving for a short trip to Vancouver today.

C. W. Wilson left this morning for Vancouver on a short business trip.

Captain Hughes left this morning for Vancouver.

Mrs. G. Mackay has returned after a fortnight's trip to Skagway.

Mrs. and the Misses Reid, of Oak Bay, are registered at the Strathcona hotel, Shawnigan like.

Mrs. and the Misses Hickey left for Vancouver on Monday morning.

Charles Meston is spending a few days with friends in Seattle.

Mrs. B. Irving spent Monday in Vancouver.

Miss Joan Walker has returned after a short visit to the Terminal city.

Mrs. Langley left this morning on the Charmer for Vancouver.

Mr. C. B. Christensen of Cape Scott is spending a day or two in the city.

Miss Barbara Keast left on Sunday for Portland where she will spend some weeks visiting friends.

The Rev. Father Caine is leaving today for a few months tour of England.

Miss Ford and Miss Bowine from Vancouver are guests of Mrs. R. H. Walker, Douglas street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McMorran (nee Whittaker) have returned from their honeymoon trip to Yellowstone park.

Mrs. Lampman who has been spending a few months in Europe returned home on Saturday.

Miss Alma Irvine of King's road has gone to Vancouver and New Westminster to spend her holidays.

Dr. Sheldon of the C. S. Restorer is going over to Vancouver today for a few day's visit.

Miss Gertrude Donovan leaves next week for Los Angeles to spend a few weeks with relatives.

Miss R. J. Taylor, stenographer at the Empress Hotel, left yesterday for Vancouver on the Charmer.

Constables H. McDonald, Andrew Woods and W. Harper, yesterday commenced their two week's vacation.

Miss Phyllis Mason left this morning on the Charmer on a short visit to Vancouver.

C. Bethune, leader of the Metropolitan Methodist church choir has gone to Vancouver on his regular weekly trip.

J. G. Finch left yesterday via the North Coast Limited on a visit to Sarnia, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell left yesterday via the Northern Pacific on a visit to Portland, Ont.

Capt. W. Gardner was a passenger from Seattle yesterday by the steamer Princess Victoria.

Mr. Darrell Hanington, of Rock Bay, is spending a few days in the city.

C. Sox, of Vancouver, visited Victoria on Monday. He returned the same night.

Miss Dorothy Leigh Spencer and Miss Mary Bennett are visiting friends in Vancouver.

Mr. Irving, of Toronto, is staying with his brother, Mr. Justice Irving, of this city.

J. A. Goodfellow, superintendent of the E. & N. railway, is making a tour of inspection of the line.

Mrs. T. A. Babington will receive the first Friday in July and not again till September.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tubman have returned from the Sound cities, where they were spending their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pascal de Noe Walker have taken up their residence in their new home, Phoenix, built to replace the Shack, recently destroyed by fire.

R. A. Bainbridge, superintendent of construction on the E. & N. railway, has left for the mainland. He expects to be away several days.

Mrs. R. B. McKilligan and daughter arrived from Seattle, where Miss McKilligan is studying music, by the steamer Princess Victoria yesterday.

James C. Grant and daughter, of Calgary, who have been visiting Victoria and Vancouver are again in the city. They leave for home today.

Jailer J. Abbott, and Constable Blackstock, of the local police force, who have been taking their holidays, resumed their duties yesterday.

Joseph Emmerson, of Nelson, who has been making a short pleasure trip to Victoria, left yesterday via the Northern Pacific, on his return home.

P. D. McKeand, of Ashcroft, who has been in the city for the past three days on business left this morning for home.

Mrs. A. H. Harder, of Tacoma, formerly Miss Drant, of Victoria, was in the city last week attending the jubilee of St. Ann's Convent.

Mrs. Waitt and her daughter, Mrs. Henderson, will receive their friends on the last Friday of each month, instead of 1st and 3rd Tuesdays.

Mrs. R. B. McMicking, 464 Kingston street will not receive during the summer months, but will continue her "at home" days as usual in September, commencing on the first Friday.

Mrs. A. Hendry who has been staying for some time at the Empress hotel has left for a trip to Harrison Hot Springs before returning to her home in Winnipeg.

Mrs. M. M. Wakefield, who arrived last week on the Aki Maru from Hong Kong and has been spending a few days in the city leave today via the C. P.R. for Liverpool.

Mr. and Mrs. William Keeler, of Winnipeg, who have been making a short visit with friends in the city, left yesterday for Seattle enroute to the east.

Miss Mary Godfrey, of Seattle, a former graduate of St. Ann's academy, is spending a few days here, having come over to attend the golden jubilee of that institution.

J. C. Whitehead and W. Baume, two mining men of Butte, who have interests on the west coast of the island and have been looking over their properties left yesterday to Seattle enroute east.

Mrs. Chas. McMillan and daughter left for Vancouver on the Princess Victoria on Friday to meet Major McMillan, who is returning from Calgary after a month's absence.

J. H. Penketh and wife returned from Seattle yesterday by the steamer Princess Victoria, after attending the wedding in the Sound city of G. N. Penketh and Miss Ruby North, both of Bremerton.

Thomas C. Eaton, of the T. Eaton Company, of Toronto and Winnipeg, who, with Mrs. Eaton and party, have been spending a few days in the city at the Empress, left yesterday at noon on their return to the east.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin Stoddard, of New York, who recently spent a week in this city have returned from a trip to the north on the steamer Spokane. They leave today via the Northern Pacific for Yellowstone Park and thence to their home.

Rev. and Mrs. M. P. Talling left yesterday for Vancouver, where Mr. Talling will deliver a course of lectures at the new Presbyterian Theological College and will be present when the new principal, Rev. Dr. John McKay, will be installed.

Miss Whitelaw, of 816 Blanchard Street, returned on Sunday's boat, after a three months' sojourn at Tranquille Sanitarium. Miss Whitelaw cannot speak too highly of the Sanitarium, or the treatment she received while a patient there.

Harry Spink, late of the Army and Navy Cigar store, who left two months ago for the Old Country, will not return to the city. His friends here have learned that he was recently married to Miss Meta Shaw, and in future will reside in Leeds, England.

Last evening at the manse, the Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of George Neill, of Victoria, and Ada, second daughter of Henry McEwen, of Vancouver. After their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Neill will reside in Victoria. The groom was supported by J. B. Robertson and the bridesmaid was Marguerite Robertson.

Mr. F. T. Cromwell of Portland, spent yesterday in the city. Mr. Cromwell has just returned from a trip through the Cariboo country where he has been looking after his interests. It is his intention during the summer to try and make the journey from Ashcroft to Barkerville in his motor in one day.

Among the passengers on the Charmer for Vancouver this morning were: C. Tennant, A. Clard, Miss Crbot, Mrs. Arnott, R. Hall, Mrs. Powell, Capt. Macdonald, O. Martin, Mrs. Garner, Mrs. Anderson, C. C. Fox, C. E. Houston, Mrs. Bessiter, M. L. McBride, D. W. King, Mrs. Rebbeck, D. F. Ayers, Mrs. Skelton, W. G. Breeze, B. O. Weaver.

Yesterday at noon, at St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, Constable John Wood was married to Miss Lucy Lydia Gowing, who recently arrived in the city from England. Rev. Canon Beanlands officiated. Constable McLennan acted as best man. After the ceremony the wedding party adjourned to the residence of Constable Wesley Harper where the wedding breakfast was served and the happy couple were made the recipients of many congratulations and good wishes.

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War Eagle Producing Fine Results—Shipments Are Increasing

What is declared to be the richest car of copper matte ever shipped from British Columbia was sent out from the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company's smelter at Trail to the Tacoma refinery recently. The shipment was worth a little more than $32,000, and the matte contained 41 per cent. copper, 35 ounces of silver, and 45 ounces of gold to the ton. The company is shipping 15 cars of matte a month.

The large shipments are attributed to the high grade of the ore being taken from the lower levels of the War Eagle which carries from two to three ounces of gold. The company is preparing to increase the shipments from the War Eagle and Center Star by 100 tons daily, bringing the daily tonnage from these two properties to between 500 and 600 tons. The installation of the electric feeds for the copper furnaces has been completed at the Trail smelter, and similar feeds will be installed for the lead furnaces.

MONEY AT LOW RATE

English Market Will Furnish Liberal Supplies to Borrowers

Montreal, June 29.—The London market will probably afford every opportunity right into the fall for safe borrowing at a low rate. It would require a very marked and immediate revival of British trade to exhaust the supplies of money which are offering in her markets. In spite of the plethora of funds, however, securities were never more carefully scrutinized, and in the London, as well as in all other markets, conservatism is a very marked feature. A rumor which has probably a foundation in fact, but which is yet unconfirmed by cable, is to the effect that Mr. Mackenzie of the Canadian Northern Railway has been able to effect new financial arrangements upon behalf of the Canadian Northern railway. It will be remembered that a large proportion of the four per cent. Canadian bonds offered at 92 were left on the hands of the underwriters. The losses in the road's earnings which have been sustained since the latter part of April, have possibly dampened the enthusiasm of British investors, but the almost fairly safe assurance of a large amount of business this fall and the freedom of all Canadian railroads from the influence of political disturbance has undoubtedly produced a more friendly feeling towards these corporations. The immigration into previously unsettled portions of the west has this year been so large as to render further railway extensions throughout that country imperative, if the grain from outlying districts is to be moved, and the success of Canadian Northern financing is therefore of more than ordinary importance.

What you were, others may answer for; what you tried to be, you must answer for yourself.—John Ruskin.

He that will lose his friend for a jest deserves to die a beggar by the bargain.—Fuller.

FATHER CAINE ON ACADEMY'S JUBILEE

Sermon Commemorating 50th Anniversary of Sisters of St. Ann Here

At St. Andrew's Roman Catholic cathedral on Sunday, a special high mass was celebrated in connection with the jubilee of St. Ann's academy. Rev. Father Clement Caine, to a large congregation representative of all the citizens of Victoria, irrespective of creed, delivered the following sermon:

"'Ye shall sanctify the fiftieth year and it shall be a holy year. Ye shall cause the trumpet of jubilee to sound, for it is the year of jubilee.'

"These words are taken from the holy scripture, the third book of the holy scripture, the third book of the Leviticus.

"Very Rev. and Rev. Fathers, Dear Sisters and Brethren in Christ:

"These words from holy scripture seem very suitable for the occasion that has brought us together this morning is to be associated with the devoted Sisters of St. Ann in their jubilee celebrations. For if we open this 25th chapter of the Book of Leviticus we are told how Almighty God made known His laws through Moses. He commanded that they should set apart seven Sabbaths of years, and He told them they should set apart the fiftieth year as a year of jubilee. If you read that 25th chapter of Leviticus you will find the many privileges that came to God's chosen people in that year of jubilee. Prisoners were set at liberty, debts were cancelled, lands that had been lost would revert to their original owners, and so on. But the people were reminded that it was to be a year when, looking back on the fifty years that had gone, they were expected to be grateful to God, the giver of every good and perfect gift. Looking forward to the future, they were to be encouraged to continue as the chosen people of God. In that same chapter, speaking of the jubilee, we are told how there is to be one dominant note ringing throughout the land—that is the note of joy. 'Ye shall send joy in the fiftieth year. Ye shall cause the trumpet of jubilee to sound on the tenth day of the seventh month, the great day of atonement. There should sound throughout the land the trumpet of jubilee.' Let it be known to all that it was a time when God's chosen people were gathered together. They were grateful to God for all He had done for them. That is the reason of this universal joy, 'for it is the year of jubilee.'

Their Year of Jubilee.

"Brethren, I have thought this a suitable introduction to the remarks of this morning, when we, the clergy and the laity, have gathered together in St. Andrew's cathedral to be associated with the devoted Sisters of St. Ann in their act of praise, their act of gratitude today, 'for it is the year of jubilee.' This is our tenth day of the seventh month, applying the Jewish meaning, to the good Sisters, for today, in the words of King David, looking back on the fifty golden years they have spent in the city of Victoria. 'What shall we render to the Lord for all He has given, all He has done for us? What shall we return?' Again in the next line of the psalm from which I quote, King David tells you what to do. With a prophetic knowledge of the coming sacrifice he says, 'I will take up the chalice of salvation.' So have we gathered this morning with the Sisters of St. Ann to offer this holy sacrifice. And fittingly is this holy sacrifice of gratitude offered by the senior priest of this diocese, Father Brabant, by the only one left who holds his jurisdiction from Vancouver island's first great, noble bishop, Modeste Demers. You, brethren, have gathered with them, and I know will let your hearts go up in gratitude and thank God for these fifty golden years. During the few days when the sisters have endeavored to make jubilee, you know the work they have done, and how pleasing it is that not one discordant note has been heard in your fair city of Victoria. On the contrary, on all sides were notes of jubilee, and particularly I would single out our morning and evening papers and would take this opportunity of thanking them for the kindly tributes they have paid to the Sisters of St. Ann, and to the Colonist for the manner in which it has reported the ceremonies; and in the gatherings that have taken place all those tributes of praise that have gone up from sincere hearts from those who, though differing from us in religious belief, are honest enough to admit that the Sisters have done good work in Victoria. Indeed, the Sisters of St. Ann deserve well of Victoria, brethren, for they were among the pioneers. They have helped to build up those who have built up this city, and are building up British Columbia. Consequently, as last evening's papers stated, 'all the praise that is being given them is due to them, and more.'

A Retrospect

"My dear brethren in Christ, when we gather together on an occasion like this, so many thoughts well up in the mind that one scarcely knows what view to take; but it is not the occasion for an academic address. It is more, that with feelings of gratitude we transport ourselves to Beacon Hill in June, 1858 and take a glance at the work the Sisters of St. Ann have done so that we may let them know that we are not ashamed nor afraid to say that we appreciate the work they have done. We sympathise with them in their work and we, clergy and laity, with full confidence say to them, "Go on with your work.....the good work you have done.....the good work you are doing for God and humanity." Fifty years is a long spell in the history of British Columbia, which goes away back before the years of annexation. Fifty years the Sisters have spent in the city through the great vicissitudes that Vancouver Island and British Columbia have seen. When, dear brethren, we, who share their golden Jubilee, stand in spirit on Beacon Hill on that June morning in 1858, who will recognize this fair city of Victoria in that Hudson Bay Fort of 1858? But we must remember that it is all well and good for people to come to a place when it is prosperous, but we must give our meed of praise to those, who, with foresight, can see the future of a city or country and as pioneers take up the work. Others in later times may come and criticize, but it is those who will come when there is very little inducement held out who are worthy of praise.

The Arrival

On that June morning the good ship "Sea Bird" has passed the Straits of San Juan de Fuca. We see the passengers on her decks. Passengers for Victoria? No, you will know better than I, passengers drawn here in the mad rush to the Cariboo gold fields. When the steamer has come in, we see them as they leave the boat. But there is one group, the observed of all eyes. The peculiar religious garb that is their dress, has been seen in this part of the world for the first time. Who are they? I could not tell. Were we asked the names of the four nuns, I could not tell, only their names in religion. Have they come for gold? No, they have taken a vow that they will not own one penny. What brings them here? What brings them? It is the love for souls.

"As we look on that group of nuns on the 5th of June, 1858, we must not forget one standing there, the noble person to whom I have already alluded, Bishop Modeste Demers, who two years previously had invited the Sisters to come from their home, St. Jacques, nine miles from Montreal. That invitation has been accepted. They have come to teach the Indians and half breeds. There were not more than three or four white children here, perhaps a dozen at the most. As we see him standing there, we call to mind the magnificent work being done by the Sisters today. Brethren, if there be a time when it is right to mention the names of the living and dead from the Sanctuary, it is on occasions like this. Standing out from that picture of fifty years ago we see Bishop Demers. I say no more of this great man except this, that I stand over the remains of this good Bishop, who lies side by side with the martyred Archbishop Seghers, and the saintly Father Jonckau, the friend of the Sisters. Some of you remember them well. Shall I let pass the name of Bishop Modeste Demers? No, brethren, clergy and sisters, we shall place an immortelle on his tomb this morning. That immortelle shall be an act of gratitude to him for inviting the Sisters of St. Ann to British Columbia.

When Bishop Demers came to die in his humility he said: "I have done little for God," but he said, "one good thing I have done, I have brought the devoted Sisters of St. Ann to Victoria." Yes, Bishop, you brought them, you accompanied them from the east. Today we reap the benefit of your zealous foresight, and we pay a tribute to your memory and the two priests in that group with the Sisters are gone. Father Rondeau rests in Cowichan and Father Vary has also gone. The two candidates for the priesthood, Brothers Thibeaud and Michaud, they too have gone; and the lay assistant, Miss Maunville,—all of that party, their names should be emblazoned in Victoria as the pioneers who came, not for Cariboo gold but for the hearts of the little ones, came for souls that were redeemed by the blood of Christ. The lay assistant is still living in the east. All but the two jubilarians have gone.

The Terrible Journey.

"This terrible journey from the east occupying two whole months, coming by Montreal, New York, Panama and San Francisco. They had no conveniences as we have in these days. It was a terrible undertaking, but when we see them standing there, we ask what are the names of these four brave sisters. Two still remain and two were called from us. Yesterday with another priest I paid a visit to the little cemetery. We saw two names amongst the twenty-eight that are buried there. That is all that is left to the eye of these pioneers of fifty years ago, two black crosses with the names of Sister Mary Angele and Sister Mary of the Sacred Heart. Who they were, from whence they came, what their names were in the world, at what age they died, I know not. All that is given to the world is 'Sister Mary Angele' and 'Sister Mary of the Sacred Heart.' They have laid down their lives in the interests of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Brethren, that is all that is written there. If we would see what these two pioneers have done, we must needs open the great Book of Life and in that we must find their acts recorded by the hand of God Himself. Their bodies lie in the cemetery here but their spirits have gone to God, yet they are with us in spirit today.

Congratulates the Jubilarians.

"Brethren, it would be unkind if I took advantage of my position to say much of the two jubilarians sitting here today. It would be cruel to their feelings but you would feel that there was something wanting did I not offer them the congratulations of the clergy and laity. I feel sure that which I am saying will be confirmed by my brother priests, and I am sure, brethren of the laity, that you congratulate these jubilarians here today. Venerable jubilarians! We thank you, that when fifty years ago, when you had no interests we may say except souls, that like the Prophet Isaias when the Lord said, 'I wish someone to go,' a voice said, "Here I am, send me,' they said the same to God because they said it to their Superiors. Reading over the annals of the order I find that in August, 1856, when the invitation was sent for Sisters to come out west and was accepted, it was endorsed by the whole community.

"Thank God! and, brethren, this morning as we are following out the Scripture let the trumpet of jubilee sound forth and we pray that that trumpet sound shall reach Lachine, the motherhouse of the Sisters of St. Ann, and to that Mother General of the Sisters in Canada, who governs 1084 Sisters (though when the place was founded in 1854, they numbered only a few), we say "take the message to the east that we of the west are grateful to them for sending Sisters to us." Especially there is one venerable jubilarian in the east. Do you know who it is? The very Mother General, who sent these four sisters, is still with us in spirit as a little present of hers I saw being used in the Sacristy at the Mass this morning shows. She has never seen the west though she sent us her four children fifty years ago this June. We ask Mother General today to take our thanks to her. Her name is Mother Mary of the Purification.

Their Monument

"Brethren, I must not keep you too long speaking of the work done by the Sisters but as the papers said, they deserve the compliments they receive. What have the Sisters for their fifty years of work? For answer I would take you to the great cathedral of St. Paul in London. This cathedral was, as you know, completely destroyed by the great fire of London. The work of rebuilding was given into the capable hands of Sir Christopher Wren. The present St. Paul's cathedral was the result of his work. When he died the question came of erecting a monument to him. Do you know what they did? They placed over the north door of St. Paul's, as you may see, a Latin inscription. I am applying this to the Sisters today. Over that north door you will read these words in Latin, 'Si monumentum requiris, circumspice.' 'If you seek a monument to him look round.' Look at that building, St. Paul's. His work was sufficient monument to Sir Christopher Wren. Brethren, you ask this morning where is the monument to the Sisters of St. Anne? Go along Blanchard street to Church Hill. Call to mind the time, fifty years ago when Bishop Demers said to the Sister Superior: "This is your home! Take possession." They entered the log cabin 20 by 8 feet still preserved on the far side of the Academy. As we stand on Church Hill, the sisters say if you want a monument to our work, look round. In place of the log cabin of fifty years ago stands forth in all its grandeur, St. Ann's Academy and side by side that magnificent building St. Joseph's hospital.

"If you ask for a monument look, round, and bear in mind that their work extends throughout the length and breadth of Vancouver Island. In the course of this work the sisters have received no state aid, not one penny of money comes from the city for the hospital nor in the education of the children. Only last week a gentleman of education and position sent a message to me saying that he thought the financial part of the hospital was looked after by the bishop and the clergy. Brethren I have been asked the question. If you wish a monument to their work, look round at the hospital and convent. In reality that is their monument.

"But my brother priests will be glad I am sure, although I have not discussed the question with them, at all, they will be glad when I take this public opportunity of saying that every honor every credit that is to be given for this monument, St. Joseph's hospital and convent, belongs to the Sisters of St. Ann. The bishops and priests have nothing to do with the financial part. We can only do as you, give them our sympathy. Honor to whom honor is due. I take this opportunity because I find that a man of education, holding a public position, had a wrong impression. I say these are monuments that are in safe hands. It is their brains that brought about the results. They did the work. Look across the street to the little kindergarten to be added to shortly. At whose expense? The Sisters of St. Ann's.

Other Institutions.

"Do you wish more monuments of work done by those pioneers and those who came years afterwards? Come further out. Go to Cowichan and see the home for little boys. Go on still to Kuper Island, see their work there among the Indians. To Nanaimo, see the convent and boarding school. Go to the mainland to New Westminster, Vancouver, Mission City, Kamloops, aye go on to Alaska, if you want monuments of the work done by these pioneers and their successors. In the last fifty years, go to Douglas Island, Juneau, etc. These are monuments of their work all honor to whom honor is due.

"Circumspice! You see these monuments brethren but you must seek higher. If you seek monuments, seek with the eye of Faith. When in South Africa, the coloniel of our regiment made a remark to me that I have heard is thought by many. He was a Presbyterian and a personal friend of mine. He said: "I can understand the Catholic church except the confessional. But there is one part of the Catholic church I cannot understandJ—that is the sisterhood. I appreciate their work," and he spoke of St. Vincent's hospital in Sydney and other great institutions of our church in Australia. But he said: "I cannot understand why a girl with intelligence and everything that an ordinary girl holds dear will give them all up."

"Colonel! you cannot look only with the ordinary eye. You must look higher. You must look with the eye of faith. The sister of any of our communities has heard and realized the meaning of that dying cry of Christ upon the cross when He said: 'I Thirst.' There was the natural thirst but deep down in the heart of Christ was a spiritual thirst for souls. The sister says to Him 'I will quench that thirst,' and as St. Paul says: 'Lord what wilt Thou have me do?'"

"There brethren is the meaning of our sisterhood. See the spiritual side of their work for God. They have a spiritual joy that is greater than carnal man can understand. With the eye of faith look round and see the work they have done in this island. Work done in the hospital, that work speaks for itself. As Christ on one occasion lifted the veil of futurity and gave us a picture of the Day of Judgment that would be the test of our future and show the charity of the Sisters. "I was hungry and you gave Me not to eat, I was thirsty and you gave Me not to drink." You will ask, "When did we not these things." He will answer, "As often as you did them not to My little ones." He takes to himself whatever is done to others. That is the spirit of our Sisters in hospitals and orphanages.

Due to the Church

"Reading Bishop Segher's sermon over the remains of Sister Mary Winnifred, nursing sister of St. Joseph's hospital, (some of you no doubt were present on that occasion), I noticed one of the brilliant remarks he made. He said, "There are those who would not wish to have Catholic church, but they would say, 'leave us the Sisterhoods of the church.'" Well could Bishop Seghers add, "They forget that it is because of the Catholic church that we have the Sisterhood. Do away with the Catholic church and you do away with the Sisterhoods, because their members were taught by the Catholic church, and these are the principles that weld together the members of a religious community. Consequently if you seek monuments, you must go higher with the eye of Faith. See the souls they have helped to save. But especially I would say to you, dear Sisters in Christ, that your many non-Catholic friends, many of whom are present this morning, and those who visited you during the past few days, show that they all are wishing to do you honor. I take this opportunity of thanking these kindly people for the splendid spirit that has been shown on all sides during the jubilee.

Other Congratulations

"To the venerable jubilarians I would again offer congratulations, and may the happiness that will be yours today be a foretaste of the happiness that will be yours when your Divine Spouse, Who called you from the East, will call you to Himself to join in the everlasting jubilee with Jesus Christ. Brethren in Christ, to the Sisters on your behalf and on behalf of the priests in the sanctuary, what shall I say, today? We know that the city is with them in their work. Irrespective of creed everyone is paying tribute and honor to the Sisters of St. Ann this morning. They will see you Sisters going on with your great work in your hospital, in your orphanages, in your homes, with their children, you from Victoria, from other parts of the Island, and you that have come from the mainland, and you that have come from Alaska. I am speaking for the congregation and I am sure there is not one listening to me, Catholic or non-Catholic, that will not give you congratulations on your work of teaching. I have spoken of your hospital and other works. Be buoyed up, dear teachers, with this thought that your schoolhouses are the homes of Christ, that if there is one place where Jesus has a right to be it is in the hearts of the children. Far be it from you after the fifty years, it is not yours, neither let be in the future that when Jesus Christ shall come to the door of the schoolhouse and knock there, He shall hear a voice, "Begone; go away Jesus Christ, we don't want you in our school."

"No, it is yours, sisters, to fling wide open the doors of your schools and bid Jesus Christ enter and there let Him remain forevermore. That is the special mission of the Sisters of St. Ann, the education of the young. Therefore, Sisters, on behalf of the laity, I present you with a jubilee present at the altar. It is the children of the laity. They give them into your hands to make them good citizens of this world and to make them ready to cope with the problems of the age, and to make them good citizens of the next; and Sisters, we feel that we are committing them into safe hands to keep them in trust for Jesus Christ. Remember whatever you do for them, you are doing for that same Jesus Christ who said "Suffer little children to come unto Me." As the man by the pool when our Lord asked him how long he had been there, after the angel had stirred the waters, the first to be taken down would be healed. . . . this man had gone there in his youth, he had waited on and on for 38 years. He said, 'I have no one to take me to the water side.' How many would have said this when they go to God had the Sisters not come. They would have said I had no one to take me to the saving waters. Go on with courage, sisters. You may have your crosses, the pioneers had theirs. Rest assured with this that you must be successful. Be true to your ideals, the ideals of your institute. I say again with courage working for the salvation of souls. Remember for each soul you are presenting to Him, He said, "I thirst,' a soul for which He died. Go on then sisters with courage that when in 1958 the centenary of the sisters shall take place, another preacher will speak to another congregation, many of us will be gone, some of you may remain, when they look up the records of this jubilee, it will be registered and registered well that on this jubilee morning we assembled in the cathedral, clergy and laity; we paid honor to the Sisters of St. Ann, that we joined with them in offering sacrifice to the Most High, a sacrifice of gratitude for the graces and benefits that God bestowed on the Sisters of St. Ann during the past fifty years."

MESTON WILL AGAIN CONTEST WARD TWO

Former Alderman Once More a Candidate—Election Date is Fixed

Now that the courts have decided that ex-Alderman John Meston was not entitled to sit on the city council and his previous election set aside it will be necessary to hold a by-election. The date for this was determined at last night's council meeting, when Thursday, July 9 was fixed provided that there is more than one candidate running for the office. Nominations will be received on Monday, July 6, in the court room at the city hall between the hours of 12 noon and 2 p. m. W. W. Northcott will be returning officer and James Murdock was appointed deputy.

For the past three months Ward Two has been represented by but one alderman, Ald. Gleason, but now that the case against Mr. Meston has been decided, the election of the other representative can be held.

That Mr. Meston will again offer himself to the electors of Ward Two is certain. Last night the Trades and Labor council held a meeting at which it was decided that the support of that body will be given to Mr. Meston and his friends will commence an active campaign in his behalf. Mr. Meston stated yesterday that he had fully made up his mind to again run for aldermanic honors in Ward Two and that he had been assured of the support of a great many of his former supporters.

Who will contest the ward with Mr. Meston is not yet certain. A. M. Bannerman, who was a candidate at the last elections, is named as a probable contestant, and there are others who may signify their intention of entering the field. Mr. Bannerman stated yesterday that he had been asked to offer himself as a candidate by a large number of ratepayers in Ward Two, but that he has not yet made up his mind whether he will run. He will give his answer this week.

Alderman McKeown on Saturday posted notice of his intention to move that July 9 be the date of polling, but owing to his absence from last night's meeting it was necessary to look him up, and get his consent that Alderman Henderson should move the resolution. The latter started out to find Alderman McKeown and the business of the council was suspended until he returned with the requisite authority.

Meeting Held

A representative meeting of ward electors was held last evening at Labor hall when it was decided by those present to support the nominations of Ald. Meston to the vacant seat in Ward Two. Committees were formed for an aggressive campaign should a contest arise and the following resolution was unanimously passed as reflecting the sentiments of the majority of the electors of Ward Two:

"That this meeting expresses regret at the action of those who sought the disqualification of Ald. Meston on a technical quibble, and further express their unqualified confidence in Ald. Meston and endorse him as the candidate to the vacancy in Ward Two."

It was also decided to circulate a petition requesting Mr. Meston's candidature, and to arrange, should occasion demand, a public meeting at the city hall.

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Winnipeg.—The Canadian Pacific Railway company has just inaugurated a new system of crop reports. Instead of the old weekly bulletin a comprehensive table will be made up giving in tabulated form the progress of the crop from seeding to harvest. This will be posted at every station on the Western lines. Telegraphic reports will be received and entered upon this table so that at a glance the progress of the crop at any particular point can be ascertained.

The official figures show that the total area under cultivation in Manitoba this year is 4,978,6390 acres. The latest advice is that the crop is well rooted, well up and shooting out better than it has done for several years. This the result of the early start in the seeding. It is now fully believed all over the country that there will be a bumper crop this year. The farmers are always interested in the progress of the crop but never so much as this year.

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Slumber That Led to the Death of King Charles I.

In the middle of Holborn once stood an inn, the George and Blue Boar, and there took place an incident which, entirely changed the whole tale of England's history. As twilight was falling in October, 1648, a very tired post boy mounted on a sweating horse pulled up outside the old inn. The lad knew nothing of the importance of the letters which lay in his post-bag. His orders were to convey them to a point on the Great North road, where he would be met by other messengers. But Cromwell's spies had followed him from the south coast, for England's liberty depended upon his dispatches miscarrying. The boy had some supper and afterwards fell asleep, his head pillowed on his post-bag. While he slept Cromwell's men took the bag and found in it a letter from King Charles I. to his Scottish generals arranging for his rescue, an immediate advance on London and the arrest and execution of Cromwell and his friends. That same evening Cromwell had the fatal letter and determined on Charles's death.—London Tit-Bits.

Mainland News

DOMINION COPPER COMPANY RESUMES

Mines and Smelter Again at Work—Hopes of Price Improvement

Greenwood, June 29.—The last week has seen the resumption of operations by the Dominion Copper Company mines and yesterday their big 750-ton furnace, the largest in the Boundary, was blown in. H. H. Melville, acting president of the company, and M. M. Johnson, consulting engineer, came to Phoenix last week. Men were immediately put to work at the Brooklyn, the Rawhide, the Sunset and the Mountain Rose.

With the arrival of the officials came the news that P. J. Roosa had been appointed manager to succeed W. C. Thomas, whose resignation was forwarded from Salt Lake. Mr. Roosa, the new manager, has been Mr. Thomas' chief of staff for the past five years and is thoroughly familiar with every part of the company's operations. Mr. Roosa is undertaking a difficult task considering the remarkably low price of copper and the many difficulties under which the low grade Boundary properties are now operating. Into his new duties he carries with him the confidence and support of the Boundary. It is generally felt that his close touch with the interests of which he has been given complete charge will make him the most valuable man the company could get to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Thomas' resignation.

Mr. Roosa has appointed as general foreman of the smelter, John Cawlie, who is a former foreman and a man with whom he has worked previously. The officials at the mines have all been retained.

The engineers had first intended to start the two small furnaces at the smelter but have decided to install a thoroughly up-to-date electric feed process before operating them. The new big furnace installed last year and equipped with the most modern system of feeding was blown in on Sunday.

Mr. Johnson is reported as saying at Spokane: "Everything is ready for the big new furnace to operate. This portion of the plant is equipped with the latest appliances for smelting copper ores, including electric feed, and has a capacity of 650 tons a day. The mines have already been cleaned up, and ore is being broken down sufficient to keep the furnace busy. As soon as the two old ones, which have a combined capacity of about 600 tons, can be equipped with an electric feed they, too, will be blown in. This will perhaps take place within three or four weeks, after which time the plant will operate continuously, judging from the present appearance of things."

Mr. Johnson spoke with confidence of the metal situation, and said he thought it would improve from this time on.

"I do not see what there is to keep the price of copper at the low figures of the last few months," he continued. "The condition of the whole country seems to be better than a few weeks ago. I think this is due to some extent to the presidential nomination having been settled. Although I am not a politician, I believe that some men who know more about the metal markets than we do here in the west had something to do with bringing on the appearance of hard times last fall. I think it was a veiled slap at Roosevelt. They are fairly confident now of what is to take place, and industries are bound to improve, I believe."

The Dominion smelted will handle no custom ores, except an occasional small consignment, its own mines being ample to supply all the ore necessary to keep its plant in operation.

Death of Edward Lewis.

Vancouver, June 29.—News comes from Paris, France, of the death there of Edward Lewis, of this city, who owned a number of valuable business blocks here. He was a cousin of the Lindsays of Montreal.

To Climb Mountains.

Vancouver, June 29.—Signor Aldo Crespi, of Milan, Italy, who has been here a few days, left for Glacier house. He is a mountain climber of note, and will attempt the ascent of some of the most difficult peaks in the Selkirks and Rockies.

Treed by a Bear.

Grand Forks, June 29.—A good bear story comes from the Atwood ranch a few miles east of the city, and is vouched for. A Mr. Hickman, who is employed by Mr. Atwood on his ranch, heard some rocks coming down one of the hills and after supper proceeded to investigate the cause of it. Taking his 22 rifle along with him he started up the hill and after climbing some distance glanced up to see a large cinnamon bear about twenty-five feet away from him gradually coming towards him. He immediately climbed a small tree which was near at hand, and had the presence of mind to take his rifle in his teeth while making the ascent. Mrs. Bear kept right on coming, but fortunately for Mr. Hickman, the tree was too small for her to climb. He took one shot at the bear which went home, the bear falling over dead, being hit in the head. Mr. Hickman, thinking that there must be some cubs near to make the bear so ferocious, started a search, with the result that two were located in a tree a short distance away. He procured an axe and chopped the tree down, but in the fall one was so badly hurt that he killed it, the other one escaping. When skinned the mother bear's hide measured eight feet from tip to tip. Mr. Hickman states that he is no longer curious to find out where strange noises come from, and will hereafter leave the rock slide alone, especially if he only has a 22 rifle.

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C.P.R. in Nicola Valley.

Nicola, June 29.—The C.P.R. survey party, in charge of H. Carry, C.E., are now working in the vicinity of McKay's ranch in Otter valley and will continue on towards the Okanagan section. The grade secured up the Coldwater river has been very satisfactory and there is every possibility that the railway will be built on this route.

MUST BE GAZETTED

Ruling of County Court Judge in Regard to Public Roads and Private Property

Greenwood, June 29.—In the case of McBride vs. the Crown, an appeal against the decision of Henry Nicholson, J. P., of Camp McKinney, upholding an action for trespass against David McBride, of Bridesville, His Honor, Judge Brown, yesterday delivered an important judgment. It has been the custom throughout the province for the assistant commissioner of lands, after conferring with the superintendents of roads, to decide what roads were necessary, and to construct them, resuming, at their pleasure, wherever necessary, possession of land which has become private property in order to do so. The appellant in the case had fenced off a piece of road, near the Rock Mountain road, which had been built over his land with his permission, by one Schweers, and which in the building of a road connecting the Bridesville-Osoyoos road with the Rock Mountain road had been simply taken possession of and incorporated in the road by J. R. Brown, assistant land commissioner. The case was complicated because this piece of road made connection with the Rock Mountain road on which the government had spent money and which had been Gazetted by the government prior to 1905. An action for trespass for so obstructing the public highway had been allowed by the J. P., before whom it came. The argument centered about Sec. 87 and Sec. 88 of the Land act, 1908. His honor held that it is incumbent upon the commissioners to have roads gazetted before private property can be so taken and the roads really become public highways.

FALSE CREEK COAL

Syndicate Engaged in Boring Operations Gratified by Small Seam at 560 Feet Depth

Vancouver, June 29.—There is rejoicing among the members of the False Creek Coal syndicate, for coal in a fairly substantial quantity has been struck at last. The drill, after pounding through bowlders and granite, and other obstructions, which delayed operations considerably for a time, has, for the past week, been going rapidly down through soft sandstone, and in the latter part of last week at a depth of 566 feet, a seam of bituminous coal, 14 inch thick, was struck. Such a seam could not, of course, be mined in paying quantities, but Mr. Shepherd, the expert, feels confident that it is only an indication of a much larger seam underneath, and is still boring away. He has now reached a depth of over 600 feet, and is boring through soap stone. He expects to strike the main body early this week.

Should the coal be found in paying quantities, it is hard to realize what it will mean for the bed of False creek or for the city of Vancouver. Not only will there be a keener competition in the sale of this valuable mineral, but it may also mean the birth of a manufacturing activity in the city hitherto undreamed of.

As the present company was merely formed for the purpose of prospecting and boring, preparations are being made to form a larger company to operate the property.

BUYS CANADIAN COAL

Washington Power Company, of Spokane, Orders 10,000 Tons From Hill Crest Mine at Frank

Spokane, June 27.—The Washington Water Power company of Spokane, has closed a contract with E. F. Waggoner, president of the Union Fuel & Ice company, for 10,000 tons of Hill Crest coal from the mines of that name at Frank in the Crow's Nest Pass. The coal is to be delivered by the fuel company at the water company's auxiliary plant, in Ross park. It was given out at the office of the Washington Water Power company that the consignment of coal, the largest single order ever placed in Spokane, was secured to insure for its patrons all the power contracted for and that while it may not be necessary to run the big steam plant it is possible it may be operated a month or more during extreme low water. It requires 300 tons of coal a day to operate the plant at its full capacity.

LOTS IN SMALL DEMAND

New Westminster's Sale of Lulu Island Property Postponed Because of Slow Bidding

New Westminster, June 29.—The Lulu island sale on Saturday was not a brilliant success, so far as progress was made in the disposal of the properties offered by auction, due perhaps to the insufficient period given between the passing of the bylaw last Monday and the sale. There was but a small attendance, and criticism was not wanting on the upset prices fixed by the council. Of the lots offered, three on Lulu Island were sold, and one on Carnarvon street.

The city treasurer, N. H. McQuarrie, conducted the sale. An acre lot, No. 12, on the catalogue, with 132 feet frontage on the North Arm, was sold to Edward Mercer, for $1,000. Nos. 13 and 14, also with water frontage, changed hands at $1,600, to G. S. Blakeley. Herbert Gilley bought the corner property on Carnarvon and Eighth for $3,600 where the old waterworks stable stood.

The sale was adjourned till Saturday week, July 11, when the remaining properties will be offered.

POWDER GAS FATAL TO ROSSLAND MINERS

Two Men in Centre Star Mine Contract Pneumonia From Inhaling It

Rossland, B. C., June 29.—The death has occurred in a most peculiar manner of two miners named John Erickson and J. A. Cameron, employed at the Centre Star mine. They were in the 1088 stope, working on the Friday night shift, had drilled their round and had blasted, and then, with two others engaged in the same stope, prepared to come off shift.

Erickson and Cameron ascended to the 800-foot level through the smoke, instead of going to a lower level first. The men went to their homes without feeling any peculiar effect, but later on pneumonia, which is rapidly developed by the gas generated by the explosion of the charges used in blasting, set in, Cameron was hurried off to the hospital and there succumbed. Erickson dying at home. This tragic occurrence following so soon after the terrible death of Maurice Powet, the foreman at the same mine, has created a great sensation in the city.

Fraser Goes Up Again.

Yale, B. C., June 29.—The Fraser river has risen six inches.

Rain Puts Out Bush Fire.

Fernie, B.C., June 29.—Steady rain has put the big bush fire out of business. Much valuable timber was destroyed, but no ranches or dwellings suffered.

Charged With Attempted Murder.

Fernie, B. C., June 29.—Constable Sampson of the provincial police arrested a man named Jim Sitto in the Rona hotel here tonight. This man has been badly wanted for the past two years for an attempted murder at Lille, near Frank, Alb. Superintendent Primrose of the R. N. W. M. P. at McLeod, asked Officer Sampson on Sunday morning to take charge of the prisoner, who was taken to Frank last night to await trial.

New Dam at Coquitlam Lake.

New Westminster, June 29.—The city council secured an undertaking from the B. C. Electric Railway company through F. R. Glover, acting general manager, that a solid concrete dam three feet higher than the level of the present dam would be constructed at the foot of Coquitlam lake, from which the city obtains its water supply, with the object of raising the head and also of abolishing the risk, which is now imminent, according to Engineer Le Baron, of the present wall breaking away.

RECRUITING MEXICAN RURALES.

A Test of Horsemanship—Men Paid Daily—Not Reformed Bandits.

The corps of "rurales" came into existence through a decree signed by Gen. Ignacio Zaragoza, minister of war under President Benito Juarez. The "rurales" were first organized as four companies of 200 men each, which number has been augmented as their usefulness has been demonstrated and as the opportunities for their use extended.

Their title points out their duties, "Guardias Rurales," or rural guards, guardians of country roads and the less populated portions of the republic. In complying with their duty they patrol the roads, assist local authorities, pursue and capture bandits, and in fact all that class of police duty which helps to preserve order and give security outside of the towns.

The recruiting is voluntary, but in order to belong to this body, which is really a "corps d'elite," a better class of men are selected than those that belong to the regular army. The first quality required in an applicant is that he be a perfect horseman, and before a man is allowed to enlist he has to give practical proofs of his proficiency. It is quite an amusing sight to watch the would-be recruits as they mount bareback the worst buckers and kickers that can be selected. If they are able to stay on their examination proceeds further, but if the horse proves to be the "better man" their career as a "rurale" comes to an untimely end by a bump against Mother Earth. A good physique, entirely free from all physical defects, is also another requisite, and they must be at least one meter and sixty-two centimeters, or 5 feet 4 inches, in height (stature is not an important requisite to horsemen). The applicant also has to show that he is of good character by referring to reputable parties.

Their salary is $1.50 per day, from which 25 cents is deducted to pay for equipment and 30 cents for forage and the veterinary care of the horse, although usually the "rurale" takes care of his mount himself in such good shape that the services of the veterinary are as a rule merely advisory, for the "rurale" knows that if anything is the matter with his horse he will present the rather ridiculous appearance of going on foot or be left behind by his companions. The balance, 95 cents, is paid daily. And out of this sum he purchases his own rations, as those are not supplied by the government.

When he leaves the service at the end of his term of enlistment—five years—the money that he has paid in for equipment is returned to him. This usually amounts to from $250 to $300, so that the "rurale" has a little capital to start in some business for himself.

When the "rurales" are sent on detached service, to guard "conductas," in pursuit of bandits or to guard railway trains, or in fact any service that takes them away from their barracks, the officer in charge is supplied with the necessary funds to pay them their wages daily.

The oft-repeated statement that "rurales" are reformed bandits is a popular error, and for several reasons. In the first place for many years past in this republic reformed bandits have been like Gen. Sheridan's "good Indians," so they would hardly be in physical condition to give the active service required of the "rurale." In the next place it would be rather difficult for a bandit, even if reformed, to give the necessary reference, or at least references of such a character that they would authorize enlistment in the "rurales," and in the third place bandits never reform.

There may perhaps have been instances many years ago, when it was a rather difficult matter to draw the line between patriots and "pronunciados," and when the cry of "God and Liberty" was used like charity to cover a multitude of sins, that individuals sometimes served the established government in the "rurales" after having at earlier periods in their career been free lances on the public roads, but such instances were the exception and not the rule. Probably the picturesque costume, graceful seat in the saddle and general devil-may-care appearance of a company of rurales on the road may have helped to keep up this mistaken opinion.—Mexican Herald.

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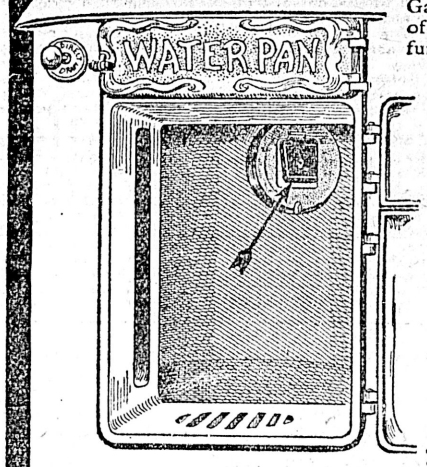

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NOTE AND COMMENT

From the reports of speeches of public men appearing in British newspapers which are now coming to hand, it is clear that the Imperial Government is facing a grave crisis in India. But, as Viscount Morley made clear the other day, it will face it with courage and determination. That the law just passed prohibiting the manufacture and use of explosives was passed not a moment too soon is shown by the following cable from Calcutta, dated June 22:

Some unknown persons threw a bomb about midnight last night into a second-class compartment of a mail train that was standing outside the railway station at Kankakara. The explosion seriously wounded two European occupants. The compartment was wrecked.

A correspondent of a London journal is somewhat disturbed by the proportionately large representation of Ireland in the British Parliament. He writes:

"As it seems possible, from a recent leading article, that another Reform Bill may be offered to the House of Commons, may I venture to suggest that, if such a bill should be offered, the relative representations, in the House, of England and Wales, Scotland and Ireland, should be taken into consideration? On page 139 of Whitaker's Almanack for 1908, there are given the populations, the number of electors and the number of Parliamentary representatives. From the figures given, it appears that, for England and Wales, one member of Parliament represents 70,597 of the population and 12,123 of the electors. For Scotland one member represents 66,335 of the population and 10,484 of the electors. For Ireland, one member represents 42,510 of the population and 6,707 of the electors. I venture to ask whether this arrangement is fair to England and Wales and Scotland."

Appended are two interesting references to the "All-Red" Imperial fast steamship services. It is interesting to note that in the opinion of Mr. Churchill, Ireland is not yet excluded from consideration in any arrangements that may be reached in respect of choice of routes.

London, June 22.—Replying to an Irish deputation, re the "All-Red" route, Winston Churchill said the Government was bound by letter and spirit, by the resolution passed by the Imperial Conference. There was no truth whatever in the suggestion that any decision had been reached, either in Canada or here, excluding Ireland. It was quite possible that their investigations would not come to any fruitful practical result, but the action of the deputation ensured that the Irish aspect would bulk largely in the minds of all concerned in the work and attempting to arrive at some practical settlement.

Interviewed at Invercargill with regard to the recent adverse criticism of the British press on the subject of the All-Red route, Sir Joseph Ward, the Premier, declared that the scheme was the only one that could secure assistance from the Mother Country and Canada at a reasonable sum. Referring to the advantages of such a service, the Premier said that it would keep New Zealand in touch with a country which was growing yearly and presented large trade possibilities. As a matter of business, it would be greatly to to advantage of New Zealand to pay a reasonable subsidy, as it should secure a fast mail and passenger service to England, and also a mail pasenger and cargo service to Canada. Cargo would not be expected across Canada, and owing to the present direct service no such service was required. New Zealand's insular position and distance from Great Britain made it a matter of very grave concern that it should have an up-to-date mail and passenger service to England via Canada.—Reuter.

The people of Derbyshire, England, have had brought to their doors a speaking illustration of the respective merits of free trade and fair trade. The Derbyshire Education Committee, in procuring wood-work contracts for new schools in the town of Long Eaton, accepted a large consignment from Germany, and were waited upon by a deputation whose members vigorously protested against German competition. One speaker said:

"Sixteen trucks of prepared joinery had arrived from Germany to be used in the construction of the school in Wellington Street. Local traders were convinced that this joinery had been made under conditions which were far from satisfactory, and they complained that in placing orders of that kind abroad the authorities had done them an injustice. There was bitter irony in the fact that while so many were looking for work sixteen truck loads of woodwork should arrive from Germany to the order of the Derbyshire Education Committee. They were determined to know who ordered these goods. The joinery was of a class that might have been made in any little hamlet in the district, and the transaction was a scandal to the authority responsible." Another speaker said: "It is not only in wood, but in lace that Long Eaton suffers. What is the remedy? ("Tariff Reform.") In the interests of tradesmen, workpeople and the town a protest should go forth." There can be little doubt that the opponents of free trade will make the most of incidents of this sort to influence public opinion against the government.

We find the following press dispatch in the Winnipeg Free Press, which may be taken as a highly significant sign of the times:

Regina, June 25.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Co. went definitely out of the liquor selling business yesterday when they withdrew the application for a bar license from before the commissioners. The C.P.R. has run a bar in connection with the hotel at Moose Jaw for some years past, but last year it was shut up suddenly. The president of the railway, Sir Thomas G. Shaughnessy, hapened along in his private car at Moose Jaw one day. He noticed a bar license sign and a bar in the station building doing business. He ordered it shut up right then. The hotel man protested that the license did not run out for some months, but Sir Thomas said he didn't care a continental, and the bar was closed. Yesterday the license commissioners had the formal application for a renewal before them, but this was withdrawn before any action was taken thereon. The company does not propose to have bars in its hotels at the stations hereafter.

FORTY YEARS AGO

The British Colonist, Tuesday, June 30, 1868.

Coronation Day.—This event yesterday was observed in the city as a holiday. The banks and stores generally were closed at noon, and excursions in the country were the order of the day. A number of flags were flying in the city, and the war vessels were decked out in holiday attire, both here and at Esquimalt. The usual royal salute of 21 guns was fired at mid-day.

Court of Appeal.—We have from time to time given admission in our columns to letters advocating a Court of Appeal, suggesting that even a temporary tribunal would be of the greatest advantage to the public at large. In this view we cordially agree, and would earnestly press upon the executive the propriety of at once making arrangements to meet this serious want. The reasons for it are so many and obvious that it is not necessary to repeat them, why a litigant should desire to have the dictum of one sole judge submitted to a larger and more solemn tribunal; against it, what? Economy and the necessity for reducing the expenditure. Can such a plea be seriously advanced by a government who are contemplating the enlargement of the governor's residence for an office and billiard room, at a cost which, if applied, as prayed in the petition, would pay for the establishment of such a court for three years?

ABOUT PEOPLE

The Emperor of Austria has conferred the honor of Knight Cross of the Order of Francis Joseph on Mr. James H. Scott, general manager of the Gresham Life Assurance company, limited. Mr. Scott is a Belfast man, and was at one time on the commercial staff of this journal which he left to go to Messrs. D. Drimmie & Son, Dublin. He afterwards became secretary of the Gresham Assurance company, in which for a number of years he has held the position of manager. The position of manager of such an institution as the Gresham, which counts its funds by millions, and has agencies all over Europe, is one of the highest and most responsible in the insurance world, and it is gratifying to Mr. Scott's friends to find that his services are appreciated abroad as well as at home.—Belfast Whig.

In reference to the recent disturbances in the Island of Samos it is of interest to note that the inhabitants of the islands of the archipelago of which it is one are practically purely Greek in blood. The men of the archipelago are well built and handsome. They have the reputation of being industrious and inured to the hardships and dangers incidental to a seafaring life. The women are justly famous for their looks. The ancient Greek type has been handed down practically unspoilt in spite of frequent successful invasions. In Greece, on the other hand, though the Greek language is spoken wholly in the towns, about one-quarter of the country districts is occupied by a non-Greek population, the greater part of which speak Albanian, though in the north there are many Vlachs, who speak a Latin tongue, a dialect of Roumanian. This language is said to be rapidly dying out before Greek, notwithstanding the fact that the number of Greek subjects who speak it was greatly increased by the Treaty of Berlin, when Thessaly was taken from Turkey and handed over to Greece. The Albanian population occupies all Attica and Megaris, with the exception of the towns, together with much territory in Boeotia and Locris. Many of the islands adjacent to the mainland are wholly or partly populated by this race also. At the present time the Albanians in the kingdom of Greece are said to number more than 120,000.

An interesting fact in connection with the appointment of Sir Walter Hillier as Adviser to the Chinese government is that the nomination comes from the government of Peking itself, for no British or foreign adviser has occupied a post of this description in recent years. Sir Walter, who has been professor of Chinese at King's college, London, since 1904, has spent the greater part of his official life in China. He has previously acted as military adviser to China, has been Chinese secretary in Peking, and also British consul-general in Korea.

The Scottish prison commissioners in their annual report follow a custom which might be adopted with advantage in other quarters. They give brief life stories of a number of prisoners, male and female, and draw useful deductions therefrom. In the report for 1907, published recently, sixty prisoners are thus dealt with, and there is the outstanding fact that forty-nine of them attribute their breakdown to alcohol. Moreover, although one is informed pathetically enough that "prisoners are all apt to speak well of their parents," one-third of them confessed that one or both parents were given to drink. This brings in the question of what has been described as the "handicap" of life. Investigation shows that in no fewer than forty cases the prisoner's upbringing was neglected or bad, so that there is little room left for wonder that they found their way to gaol. The greatest number of convictions is recorded against a woman of 47, who was committed seventy-one times; she, "broke down through drink," and the prison seems hardly the best place for her.

There is no greater lover of horses and no better authority on the breeding of them than Sir W. Gilbey, who, as founder and chairman of the London Cart Horse Parade society, is to be congratulated on the splendid show made in Regent's Park. Sir Walter, who is head of the well known firm of wine merchants, has, says the Globe, just celebrated his 77th birthday. His interest in the society is, however, as keen as ever, and his picturesque and lithe figure was conspicuous at the parade. Since he wrote the "History of the Great Horse, or War Horse," twenty years ago, he has made numerous hindred contributions to literature.

Once there was a struggling young author who was blessed with many friends, all of whom told him he was the coming great success of the country, says Success Magazine.

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And so his books were sold as junk.

And ever after he didn't have any friends.

BRITISH OPINION

Daily Express.—Has the King's visit to Russia been, as some would say, a complimentary call with the intention of gratifying a retrograde and autocratic Government? In the two most important speeches that the visit has occasioned the significance of the references by both the King and the Tsar to the maintenance of the world's peace cannot be over-estimated. There lies the true purport of His Majesty's journey. A good understanding, an "entente cordiale" between England England and Russia, is a new factor in the political history of Europe. The King's visit will drag tighter the bond of international goodwill. President Fallieres's visit has brought us nearer to Russia, so it cannot be doubted that the pacific sentiments expressed by the King and the Tsar will be felt as far as Japan. When the range of interest in the millions of humanity represented by four nations are seriously considered, it is not too much to say that the language which has been used by the two monarchs is not exaggerated. On the excellent understanding that we hope in future to see prevailing between the members of the two alliances the peace of the world will indeed depend.

The speeches of the Tsar and the King at the banquet on the Standart will make deep impression (says the Daily Chronicle). They will of course set the political quidnuncs in several capitals at the congenial work of reading between the lines, but there is enough even in the obvious texts to arrest the atention of all thinking people. Our special correspondent mentions the current rumor that the speeches have been "carefully edited." They were, it is said, so exceedingly friendly as to be unconventional. But was the editing very "careful"? It is certainly the case that the King in his reply thanked the Tsar for "affectionate words" which are not to be found in the text of the toast. But, however this may be, the speeches are so cordial and dwell so much upon the Anglo-Russian agreement that their political significance cannot be mistaken. Both Sovereigns lay stress on the happy settlement of questions, on the reapproachment in external affairs between their countries, and on the tendency of these events to promote and maintain the peace of the world.

The Standard says:—Unless Mr. Asquith means to wreck certain Government Bills which he is believed to dislike, but dare not repudiate, he will take early oportunity, now that the House of Commons has resumed work, of announcing a bold change of the Ministerial programme. Even those measures which began with a fair promise are having their prospects overclouded—notably the Irish Universities Bill. We are stating the case gently when we point out that its progress has not been assisted by the fresh rekindling of the long-smouldering feud between the Redmondite Nationalists and the clericals in Ireland. Nor can it be supposed that Mr. Birrell's sister Bill for expropriating the owners of grazing lands and vesting their property in the cattle-drivers will have a smooth passage. We know what the bishops think about this latest development of the United Irish League, and what Mr. O'Brien, recently admitted to reunion with the pledge-bound party, has to say of national unity. But with both these Bills Mr. Birrell is bound to go on. Ultimately it is clear that the main business of the Session will be thrown upon the autumn session. It would be due to inexcusable lasitude on the part of the Opposition if the Government programme is not torn to ribbons.

The Morning Post says:—The significance of the meeting between the King and the Emperor is patent to all the world. Of the British Government it is quite certain that it wishes no territorial changes, and that its great aim is to prevent such changes except by common consent. A good understanding with Russia therefore means that the two Powers will find it easier than before to compare notes as to their interests and policy in Europe and Asia, and, in regard to any matter in either continent which may reveal a difference of view, to find the lines of a compromise by mutual concessions, so that they may peaceably dispose of questions that in other conditions might have become occasions of quarrel. There are observers whose wishes or whose fears prompt them to see more than this in the manifestation of goodwill at Reval. Russia, they say, is the ally of France, and, as England has settled the questions which at one time were pending with France, and more recently those which were pending with Russia, the next stage must be the extension of the Dual Alliance into a triple alliance between France, Russia and England. The wish has been expressed by some French and English writers, the fear, which is the counterpart, by some German writers. Upon this it may be observed that the terms of the alliance between France and Russia have not been published and remain secret. The British Government is not likely to become a party to any secret agreement. Nor is any British Government in the least degree liable to be tempted into any sort of alliance aiming at more than the maintenance of peace.

Belfast Whig.—When the Government entered into its arrangement with the Cunard Line to grant a subsidy in return for the provision of a certain number of liners capable of the highest speed, upon which the Government should have a lien in view of their being needed in war, there was confidence on both sides that the high-speed conditions would be fulfilled. The Lusitania and the Mauretania were new departures in shipbuilding, surpassing in many respects anything that had been previously done. The owners were satisfied that the design with which they were built—that of beating all the records—would be attained. That satisfaction has been justified in the event. In their earlier voyages they were at the disadvantage of most tempestuous weather, and consequently they were not able to do anything like the best of which they were capable. For this the public hardly made sufficient allowance, and when it was found that the new liners were not performing miracles every week there was some disappointment, and public interest in the voyages began to fall off. There was a disposition to think that there was nothing very wonderful about the new liners, after all. Shrewder judges, with a knowledge of the conditions, were, however, content to possess their souls in patience. They knew that it only needed that the weather should be suitable to enable the liners to do quite as well or even better than anyone had anticipated. The consequence is that once more the Lusitania and the Mauretania are all engrossing, and their performances are being noted and published the wide world over. They are these later records that demand attention, for in themselves they prove that the outlay which these mammoth liners entailed has not been without reward. Sir William White, in a special article in the Engineering Supplement of the Times, deals at some length with the voyage records of the vessels from the beginning, and by taking the average speeds he is able to prove positively that, so far from having failed of expectation, these liners have exceeded it. The ships have now been at work for several months—the Lusitania since September of last year, and the Mauretania since November. Sir William White draws special attention to voyages which the ships made last month, when the average speed for the Lusitania was 24.83 knots, and that for the Mauretania 24.86. The Lusitania covered 2,500 miles at a mean speed exceeding 25 knots. In fact, had it not been for the bad weather, this splendid average of 25 knots would have been kept up for the whole voyage. In the same month the Mauretania, while under the disadvantage through an accident of running wit hthree screws instead of four. There was no danger in doing this, but it naturally militated against high speed. Nevertheless, for three or four days in succession, the Mauretania averaged over 24 knots.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

In Defence of Miss Murcutt

Sir:—In a recent issue of the Colonist you had a reference to a statement made by Miss Murcutt in the Victoria theatre on June 17, and a subsequent letter by Mrs. Day who signed herself as president of the Local Council of Woman. As a man, and one who heard the statement, I feel it my duty to make a few observations in defence of Miss Murcutt.

In the first place, Miss Murcutt said she had been told by a minister that he did not believe there were many girls in a certain town in British Columbia over fifteen years of age who could be said to be pure. The mayor was then appealed to and he expressed himself as afraid there was a good deal of truth in the remark. Now, Miss Murcutt simply said what she had been told as a matter of opinion, and not of fact; nor did she say she believed these statements herself, but took occasion to emphasize the seriousness of the situation, if anything like such a condition were true, and be it remembered two respectable male citizens of British Columbia expressed themselves thus. And yet the street reports and published articles would make Miss Murcutt responsible for originating this remark and making it a fact. It was a courageous thing to say and it needed an heroic woman like Miss Murcutt to say it. In the opinion of some it might have been better left unsaid for the sake of not wounding the sensitiveness of the gentler sex. It naturally makes women feel ashamed that such things exist at all, but to have a specific case or cases brought to notice is unpleasant. Men should not be shielded in these things any more than women, and it is one of Miss Murcutt's virtues that she has courage enough to face such questions without covering them up with generalities or empty resolutions. She hits the nail on the head every time and has no purpose to serve other than the common good of the community at large. It has been a good thing, and will yet be, that such a woman has been raised up at such a time as this. Those of us who have covered the province in Christian and moral work know full well what red light districts mean, both to boys and girls as well as men and women, and the worst part of it all is the indifference of the fathers and mothers. The parents in any town or city could clean up any place if they would. It is to their shame such things exist and a greater shame when a woman of superior strength of character and ability, should be indirectly abused for daring to draw attention to what men have told her.

If the report of this part of her speech was so offensive to certain women, what can the report which appeared in the Colonist a few days ago, be, viz., that a hundred girls were held in slavery by the Chinese in Vancouver for immoral purposes. Do these good women fume and gesticulate at this? Do they disown the editor or paper that gives such a report of their sex? Why not? I know many men are grateful to Miss Murcutt for daring to mention the possibility of such a state of things, and no doubt she can take care of herself on questions of this kind without the aid of those who have a different opinion.

I am bold to assert that Mrs. Day did not express the feeling of the Council of Women in her letter to the Colonist, but her own and perhaps a few other women in Victoria, for I am told by members of that Council that no expressions of opinion were given on this subject in any form, and I venture to say that had such been the case, 95 per cent would have endorsed Miss Murcutt. I venture to say further, that the whole of the W. C. T. U. thoroughly endorse Miss Murcutt, under whose auspices I am assured she is still working. Mrs. Day is not authorized to speak for that body any more than I am, and especially in the line of comparing its work with that of the Council of Women. If I know the W. C. T. U., and I have worked with it all through Canada, it is "destructive" to anything evil, and "constructive" for good; it is "positive" in all its parts and has no "negative" quality. It has no sex or sect to serve, but "God and home and country." Its progress, emancipation of girls and women, and its opposition to all forms of national vice will always meet with opposition from "yellow peril" advocates; but when professing Christian women take upon themselves to disown, if not denounce, one of their own sex who has more courage than the whole of them put together to expose evil, it is evident such women are not ready for enfranchisement.

Some of us would like to know if Miss Murcutt had confined her relation of women's opinions to "boys," and left the girls out, what would have been said? Unfortunately boys are allowed to the red light districts in every town, and many are the women who "by order" have had to leave some town in consequence of the ruin brought to both boys and girls. Some of us could tell harrowing tales of woe in this regard in the effort at rescue. It is to be deplored that a sickening sentimentalism and mock-modesty should turn some otherwise very good people into antagonists of anything like exposure.

In my humble judgment Miss Murcutt deserves the thanks of the community at large for her courageous onslaught at existing evils, and all with a view of stirring up both men and women to remedy them by better laws, keener supervision, self sacrifice and Christian teaching. British Columbia is to be congratulated, and the women's organizations in particular should be grateful for her services; they should guard her reputation and pocket their jealousies. I believe that thousands of men are grateful to Miss Murcutt and will stand by her in her laudable endeavor to promote the well-being of all sections of the community.

DANIEL SPENCER

The British oil tank steamer Applachee which went to Nanaimo from San Francisco to load bunker coals proceeded to Manila yesterday.

The bark Havila which has arrived at Tacoma from Guaymas did not bring 900 tons of salt as was reported. The vessel refused the cargo it seems which was offered at all low a rate. It is understood the schooner Lottie Bennett is bringing the salt north. The Havila is getting the lowest rate offered yet for wheat for the United Kingdom. She is carrying a cargo for 21s 3d.

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Author's Mistakes

Writers wise in the great things of life have frequently made bad mistakes in details involving some technical point on which they were ignorant. Some of these are most amusing. For instance, Sir Walter Besant, in 'The Children of Gibeon,' caused a new moon to rise in the east at two in the morning. It is the old moon that rises in the morning. The new moon appears in the western sky, and sets soon after the sun.

Another author who went astray frequently with respect to his moons was Rider Haggerd. In 'King Solomon's Mines' he tells of an eclipse of the new moon, an astronomical impossibility.

In 'Pendennis' Thackeray speaks of Mohammed's soldiers cutting off the heads of all prisoners refusing to acknowledge that there was only one prophet of God. As a matter of fact, however, Mohammedans profess belief in all the prophets of the Bible—Noah, Abraham, Moses, Jesus—but they believe that Mohammed is the greatest. A critic once scolded Thackeray for this mistake; "for he was a great reader of Gibbon."

In 'The Virginians' Chaplain Sampson is unlawfully arrested for debt during divine service. Under the English law this could not be. An old offender like Sampson would probably have known this much of the law, and would hardly have accepted the situation with the resigned enquiry: 'At whose suit, Simons?'

The elder Dumas, although he had only a superficial knowledge of toxicology, was fond of introducing into his romances poisons unknown to science, whose instantaneous and deadly effects were startling to say the least. Science recognizes only one poison—that commonly called prussic acid—that possesses anything like the immediate effect beloved by the romancer.

Again, Dumas was mistaken in his description of complete paralysis, as exemplified in old Nortier, who, unable to move or speak, yet maintained unimpaired his intellectual faculties, and was able, by winking his eyes in agreed fashion, to communicate his thoughts and desires to his family. Physicians have frequently pointed out the impossibility of such a pathological condition.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

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F. J. FULTON,
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Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for Normal School, Vancouver," will be received by the Hon. the Chief Commissioner up to noon of Wednesday, the 15th July, 1908, for the erection and completion of the Normal School at Vancouver.

Drawings, specifications, and contract form may be seen on and after the 22nd of June, 1908, at the office of the Public Works Engineer, the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, and at the office of Messrs. Pearce & Hope, Architects, Vancouver, B. C.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, in the sum of one thousand ($1,000) dollars, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so. The cheques or certificates of unsuccessful tenderers wil' be returned to them upon the execution of the contract

The cheque of the successful tenderer will be returned upon his furnishing a bond satisfactory to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner in the sum of fifteen thousand ($15,000) dollars, for the due fulfilment of the contract.

No tender will be considered unless made out on the form supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelope furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer,
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 16th June, 1908.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for Schoolhouse," will he received by the Honorable the Chief Commissioner up to noon of Monday, the 6th July, 1908, for the erection and completion of a two-room frame schoolhouse at Haney, Dewdney Electoral District.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 25th day of June, 1908, at the offices of the Government Agent, New Westminster; of E. W. Beckett, Esq., Secretary of the School Board, Haney; and at the Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B.C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner for a sum equivalent to ten per cent of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 22nd June, 1908.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder dusted in the bath, softens the water and disinfects. 28

LEE & FRASER
9 and 11 TROUNCE AVENUE

FOR SALE—Beacon Hill Park, 8-roomed Bungalow and 2 lots, with all modern conveniences for $6,000.

NORTH PARK STREET—Fine Cottage, 6 rooms and large lot; for sale cheap and on easy terms.

CEDAR HILL ROAD—One Acre for $1,260.

PRIOR STREET AND BLACKWOOD—Large lots for sale on easy terms.

CORDOVA BAY—20 acres, water front, for sale; easy terms.

THE STUART ROBERTSON CO
Limited.
1212 Broad Street.

4 ROOMED Cottage and Lot, 60x120 ft. on Frances Avenue, for $1,500.

MODERN DWELLING—Lot 60x120; near Central School. $4,500.

4 ACRES of Choice Fruit Land, close in. $1,400.

260 ACRES on Saanich Inlet, $10 per acre.

FURNISHED HOUSE in Victoria West for July and August; rent $25 per month.

CALL and inspect our list of farms.

FIRE INSURANCE WRITTEN in the Atlas Assurance Company, of London, England.

Sheriff's Sale

Under and by virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia in an action wherein Pitt & Peterson are plaintiffs and Vancouver Copper company, defendants, I have seized and taken possession of all the goods and chattels of the defendant company situate at Mount Sicker, Vancouver Island, consisting of 3 Shay geared locomotives with ore cars, picks, shovels, steel, etc., furniture and contents of Mount Sicker hotel, also large quantity of cord wood. I will offer the said goods and chattels, or a sufficient portion thereof, for sale at public auction, on the premises, Mount Sicker, on Saturday, the 9th day of May, 1908, at 2 o'clock p.m. Terms of sale, cash. F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff for the County of Victoria for and on Behalf Sheriff County of Nanaimo.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, May 1, 1908.

NOTICE

The above sale is postponed to a date to be fixed. F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, June 10, 1908.

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NOTICE

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, hereby gives notice, pursuant to the requirements of Section 7, of the above mentioned Statute, that the said Council has this day applied by petition to the Governor in Council for approval of the site and of the plan of the wharf extension proposed to be constructed on and over the foreshore abutting on subdivided parts of Lots 122 and 123, Block B, and the harbor terminus of Herald street, in the City of Victoria, B.C., according to the Official Map of the said City of Victoria.

A plan and description of the proposed site, and of the wharf extension to be constructed, has been deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar of Deeds at Victoria, B. C., this 19th day of June, 1908.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER.
Clerk of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C.
Victoria, B. C., June 19, 1908.

PUBLIC HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.

Notice to Architects—Competitive Designs.

The Government of British Columbia invite the architects of British Columbia to submit competitive designs of a Public Hospital for the Insane, which it is proposed to erect at Coquitlam, situated near New Westminster, B.C.

The designs, accompanied by specifications, reports and estimates of cost, and superscribed, "Design, Public Hospital for the Insane," and addressed to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, will be received up to noon of Tuesday, the 30th June, 1908.

The designs, specifications, reports and estimates of cost shall have no distinguishing mark or motto, the author's name being enclosed in a blank sealed envelope securely attached to the design submitted.

The design shall be adjudicated upon by an architect practising outside the Province, to be selected by the Government, after the 30th June, 1908.

The design placed first by the Adjudicator shall receive a premium of $700, and the one placed second, a premium of $500.

The Government is not bound to erect the building from any of the designs submitted.

If the design awarded first place is accepted, the premium referred to above shall be included in the professional fee paid to the architect.

Printed conditions governing the competition can be obtained by bona fide competitors upon application to the undersigned.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 7th May, 1908.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for a renewal of the hotel licence to sell intoxicating liquors in the premises known as The Gorge Hotel, situated at the Gorge, Esquimalt District.

ELIZA MARSHALL.
Victoria, B. C., 6th May, 1908.

PUBLIC HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.

Notice is hereby given that the time for receiving competitive designs for a Public Hospital for the Insane, which it is proposed to erect at Coquitlam, situated near New Westminster, B. C., has been extended up to and including Monday, the 6th day of July, 1908.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer,
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 22nd June, 1908.

IMPORTANT

The attention of consumers is called to the printed inside wrappers of Sweet Caporal Cigarettes, which will be redeemed, as stated thereon, at the Company's Offices at corner Princess street and McDermot avenue, Winnipeg, or 141 Water street, Vancouver.

ANNUAL MEETING OF JUBILEE HOSPITAL

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payment of $2,554.52 more than in the previous year on repairs, improvements and furnishings.

The Bachelors' donation towards the maternity ward with accrued interest to the 31st day of May, 1908, amounting to $175.94 is deposited in the Savings Bank Department of the Bank of Commerce.

There remains in the Bank of Montreal in the joint names of the Hon. Treasurer and the Secretary of the Women's Auxiliary the sum of $33.95 for the childrens' ward.

There is deposited in the Bank of Commerce for new buildings and permanent improvements the sum of $7,126.48.

Some Suggestions.

H. D. Helmcken, while he warmly supported the adoption of the various reports submitted as showing the admirable condition of the hospital, thought that one or two matters deserved more than passing notice at their hands. Not long ago a paragraph had appeared in a city newspaper criticizing the location of the new building which was in course of erection, and this criticism, in his opinion, was in very poor taste, in view of the very great care which had been taken in making the selection of the site by the committee, who had been entrusted with this work, for this was a very questionable compliment to pay to the efficiency of this committee, as well as of the hospital management generally. He, however, noted with satisfaction that the press had not undertaken to offer any such criticism, and it was evident that the writer was not thoroughly au fait with the facts of the situation, for beyond all question this committee had done its work in a most complete and most efficient manner.

Dr. Fagan's Remarks.

On the other hand, Dr. Fagan had made remarks which he thought did not fall with good grace from that gentleman, if he were correctly understood, but at the same time they knew perfectly well how deeply Dr. Fagan had at heart the promotion of the tuberculosis movement, in which, moreover, they all desired to share. They had an excellent recollection of the refusal to receive in this hospital last summer a patient who was in the last stages of consumption, but as this had been done upon the express counsel of their medical officer, their action in these circumstances had been absolutely correct. (Applause.) But in addition a tent had been erected on the grounds and everything within their power had been accomplished in order to comply with Dr. Fagan's request. (Applause.) And hence they should not be subjected to the insinuation that they were in any way seeking to interfere with the successful culmination of Dr. Fagan's good work, and for this reason it was eminently desirable that exception should be taken to statements which were likely to be detrimental to the welfare of their own institution while this was especially the case in view of the enlargement of the other hospital. Improvements in their existing accommodation were urgently demanded by the pressing necessities of the situation and he hoped that they would at a reasonably early date be in a position to carry them into effective execution. (Applause.)

Mr. Pemberton — The committee which numbered hix members, were unanimous in choosing the site for the nurses' home.

Mr. Helmcken—Yes, and for that very reason we earnestly desire to support their choice, for I think it will be generally conceded that the questioning of the suitability of the site they have chosen comes with ill grace from any one; and I do not care who he may be. (Applause.)

The our retiring directors, Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Alexander Wilson, H. E. Newton and F. B. Pemberton, were,

Concerning Incurables

Mr. Pemberton: "I wish to direct especial attention to that part of the directors' report which concerns making proper provision for incurables, as in my opinion, this is in the present circumstances a matter of the very first importance. (Applause.) We are now obliged to receive consumptive patients, while we are in addition, always receiving people, who inevitably become incurable, and we should unquestionably have a ward for their suitable accommodation. (Applause.)

Mrs. Rhodes: "But our constitution and our by-laws expressly forbid the reception of incurables."

Mr. Pemberton: "It is, however, almost impossible to avoid having incurables brought under charge from time to time, and if they are friendless, it is obvious that we cannot turn them out upon the street." (Applause.)

Mr. Wilson held that the government should take up this matter and erect an hospital expressly for incurables, either out of town or on the outskirts of the city; for not only was it unpleasant in the case of convalescents to see incurables moving about the grounds, but they occupied beds which should be at the disposal of ordinary patients. (Applause.) In other parts of the Dominion, hospitals were provided for this class, as in Montreal, where patients in the advanced stages of consumption were not admitted into the regular hospitals. And in view of this fact, certain benevolently-disposed people had taken the subject up and secured funds through which provision had been made for them. But as in his opinion, the public here was neither large enough nor rich enough to supply all the money required. He felt that the government should act. (Applause.)

For Dipsomaniacs

Again—drunkards were now admitted into the Jubilee hospital, and as very ugly attacks of alcoholism or delirium tremens occasionally developed, the admission of such patients had become a most serious abuse, and a small and separate ward should be set apart for this unfortunate class. (Applause.)

Furthermore, as the government now insisted that they should receive consumptive patients in the acute stages he wished to say that a fine piece of ground eminently suited for this purpose and enclosing several acres could be secured quite convenient to the hospital, where a couple of cottages could be erected, but the necessary funds should certainly come from the government. (Applause.) The hospital board of management had unquestionably accomplished wonders with the funds at their disposal, in caring for the sick and the suffering, and a decided improvement could be effected if the city authorities were to hand over to them the infectious diseases hospital, which would confer the additional advantage of better training opportunities upon their nurses. (Applause.) In the earlier days of the Jubilee hospital, a building had been set apart for the use of diptheritic and smallpox patients, etc, but it had been converted into a laundry. And if his suggestions were materialist, they would possess an hospital for infectious diseases—a building for consumptives, and at least a couple of rooms for alcoholic cases; while it would be prudent to have a cottage where could be placed such persons as were suffering from temporary insanity, in lieu of forcing them, as at present, to be confined in the common gaol. (Applause.)

"Great care had been taken in the choice of a site for the nurses' home; and Mrs. Rhodes had been a member of the committee in question.

Mrs. Rhodes: "It was not my choice."

Mr. Wilson: "Nor was it mine. But it is now rather late in the day to take exception to this selection; as the building is being erected and I am very glad to say that there is plenty of money on hand to meet the needed expenditure." (Applause.)

At the suggestion of Mr. R. S. Day, a hearty vote of thanks to different organizations, connected with the hospital, the Women's Auxiliary, the Daughters of Pity and the King's Daughters, for their faithful and conscientious work during the past year, was passed. Mr. Day also stated that the placing of the President of the Women's Auxiliary upon the Board of Directors had proved to be a most decided success, for no member of the board had given more time, or had exhibited a greater degree of devotion and zeal to the important duties which they had in hand." (Applause.)

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE

By F. W. Stevenson

Chicago, June 29.—Wheat: Traders had enough confidence in news today to keep them guessing but on the whole the influence were bullish, more bullish than the market. Local traders took the buying side, and after forcing a fair advance met some setback because of the very free liquidation of July wheat by leading houses. Liverpool was weak. If there is a return of wet weather it will be difficult for even the strong bear forces in the trade to prevent a natural advance.

Corn—Nearly all the big corn states had beneficial rains. Leading houses took the selling side of both early and late months for a short time at the opening, forcing a little break. The market advanced on light trading. Late reports confirmed the somewhat serious damage to corn on low lands in Iowa and Nebraska and the estimate is for less than an average yield for this reason.

Oats—Even with the help of stronger wheat and corn markets, oats closed practically unchanged.

Provision—Pit traders were of the opinion that a strong local packing interest was a good buyer. There was no decided selling pressure at the advance. But prices did not hold, and moderate gains were recorded at the close.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat No. 2 —				
July	85½	85⅞	85¼	85⅝
Sept.	86	86⅜	85⅝	86⅜
Dec. (old)	87½	87⅞	87¼	87¾
Corn No. 2—				
July	67⅞	69	67⅝	69
Sept.	68⅝	69⅞	68½	69¾
Dec.	58⅛	59½	58½	59¼
Oats No. 2—				
July	44½	45½	44½	45¼
Sept.	38⅜	39	38⅜	38¾
Dec.	39½	39⅞	39⅜	39¾
Pork—				
July	14.67	14.75	14.67	14.70
Sept.	14.90	15.02	14.90	14.95
Oct.	14.92	15.10	14.90	15.00
Lard—				
Sept.	9.32	9.37	9.30	9.35
Oct.	9.40	9.47	9.37	9.40

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

By F. W. Stevenson

New York, June 29, 1908.

	High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked
Amal. Copper Co	66⅞	65⅛	66⅝	66¾
Amer. Car Fdy.	34¾	33¾	33⅞	34⅜
do pfd.	..	..	96¼	98
Am. Cot. Oil.	30½	30⅛	30½	36¼
Am. Loco.	48	47	47½	48
Am. Sugar	126	126	125¾	127
Am. Smelt.	76½	75	76⅛	76⅝
do pfd.	..	..	99½	100
Anaconda Min.	42⅞	40	42½	42¾
Am. Woolen	..	..	25	30
Atchison	82¼	81½	82	82¼
do pfd.	..	..	94½	95
Balti. & Ohio	86¾	86	83⅜	86½
do pfd.	..	..	85	87
Brokolyn R. T.	48	46½	47½	48
C. P. R.	160⅝	159¾	160¼	160½
Cen. Leather	..	..	25	25½
do pfd.	..	..	92	94
C. & G. W.	6¼	6	6	6⅛
C. M. & S. P.	131⅜	132	133⅞	134
C. & N. W.	150	149¼	150½	151
C. & O.	40¼	39¼	39⅞	40
C. F. & I.	..	..	26½	27
Col. Southern	..	..	39	39
do 2d pfd.	48¾	48	48	49
do 1st pfd.	..	..	82	85
D. & H.	..	..	157	159
D. & R. G.	..	..	24	26
do pfd.	..	..	57	58
Erie	..	..	19½	19⅝
do 2nd pfd.	..	..	24	24½
do 1st pfd.	..	..	34¼	35
Illinois Cen	130	127⅞	129¼	129⅝
Inter-Met.	..	..	10½	11
do pfd.	..	..	28	29
Int. Paper	..	..	10	10½
do pfd.	..	..	55	56
L. & N.	105	103½	105	105¾
M. K. & T.	..	..	27½	27¾
do pfd.	..	..	58¾	60
Mis. Pac.	49	46⅝	48½	49
Nat. Lead	65⅛	64½	65	65⅛
N. Y. C.	104	102½	103¾	104
N. Y. O. & W.	40½	39⅝	39⅞	40
N. & W.	67¾	67½	67¾	68
do pfd.	..	..	80	82
N. P.	137⅛	135⅛	137	137⅛
P. M. S. S. Co.	..	..	25	26
Penn. Ry.	121½	120½	120⅞	121½
People's Gas	92	91¾	91½	92½
Press. Steel Car	..	..	27¾	28
Reading	113¼	110&	112½	113
R. I. & S.	18¼	17⅝	17¾	18
do pfd.	65¾	65	65½	66
Rock Island	16	15⅝	16	16¼
do pfd.	30¾	29⅝	30½	30⅝
S. L. & S. F. pfd	24¼	23½	24	24¼
S. L. & S. W.	38½	38	38½	39
S. P.	88	86½	87⅞	88
do pfd.	..	..	119¾	120
S. R.	17	16½	16½	17
do pfd.	..	..	70	71
T. & P.	22½	22⅛	22⅜	22½
U. P.	145⅞	143⅜	145½	145⅝
U. S. R.	..	..	24	24½
do pfd.	..	..	92½	93
U. S. S.	38¼	37½	38	38⅛
do pfd.	102⅞	102	102⅞	103
Wabash	..	..	11¼	12
do pfd.	..	..	22½	23⅞
Western Union.	..	..	53	54
Wis. Cen.	..	..	15⅜	18
do pfd.	..	..	37½	40
Great Nor.	131¼	130⅝	131	131¼
Pac. Coast	..	..	77	80
Utah Copper	..	..	33	33¾
Westinghouse	..	..	54¾	54⅞

Total sales, 382,300 shares.

Prices of Metals

New York, June 29.—At the Metal Exchange today all grades of copper were reduced 1-8 of a cent per pound in both bid and asked prices. Pig iron, inactive. Lead, easy. Tin, weak.

Wheat in New York

New York, June 29.—Rain caused a higher wheat opening today, which was followed by declines under profit taking. Decided strength occurred later on bullish weekly and daily statistics, a jump in corn and active coverings, so that final prices were 5-8c net higher; July, 95⅛@96, closed 96; Sept. 92¾@93 3-16, closed 93½; Dec. 94⅞@95⅝, closed 95¼.

BUSINESS VOLUME DOES NOT IMPROVE

Public Shows No Signs of Desire to Speculate in Stocks

New York, June 29.—The stock market was apathetic today, and the sluggish drift of prices represented nothing more substantial than the testing operations of professionals. These transactions are no sooner concluded than they are retired by the selling out of the new purchasers or by the purchase for short sales.

London leads for a 2 per cent bank rate during July, and there is no apparent interruption of the inflow of currency from the country's active circulation into new bank reserves.

The railroad earnings reports show no sign of the promised improvement in business, net earnings for May being poorer than those for April, and April was poorer than March.

The crop news today was plentiful, but was so far balanced in its promise from different localities as to neutralize the stock market. Reports of rain in the winter harvest territory were not liked, but the brilliant prospect of the spring wheat crop was an offset. Some of the demand which advanced prices as the day progressed was attributed to covering of shorts put out early last week.

Bonds were irregular. U. S. bonds unchanged on call.

Close: Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4 per cent; Sterling Exchange steady at 4.86.95 for demand and 4.85.60 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills, 4.85¼@⅜. Bar Silver 54; Mexican dollars 46; money on call easy, highest 1½ per cent; lowest 1¼; closing bid offered at 1. Time loans quiet and steady, sixty days 2 per cent and ninety days 2¼ per cent; six months 3½ per cent.

THE LOCAL MARKETS

(Retail Prices)

Flour	
Royal Household, a bag	$2.00
Lake of the Woods, a bag	$2.00
Royal Standard	$2.00
Wild Rose, per bag	$1.75
Calgary, a bag	$2.00
Hungarian, per bbl	$7.75
Snowflake, a bag	$1.70
Snowflake, per bbl.	$6.80
Moffet's Best, per bbl.	$7.75
Drifted Snow, per sack	$1.70
Three Star, per sack	$2.00
Foodstuffs.	
Bran, per 100 lbs.	$1.60
Shorts, per 100 lbs.	$1.70
Middlings, per 100 lbs.	$1.75
Feed Wheat, per 100 lbs.	$2.00
Oats, per 100 lbs.	$1.85
Barley, per 100 lbs.	$1.70
Feed Cornmeal, per 100 lbs.	$2.00
Chop Feed, best, per 100 lbs.	$1.50
Whole Corn, per 100 lbs.	$1.90
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.	$2.00
Hay, Fraser River, per ton	$20.00
Hay, Prairie, per ton	$15.00
Hay, Alfalfa Clover, per ton	$20.00
Vegetables.	
Celery, two heads	.25
Lettuce, two heads	.05
Garlic, per lb.	.20
Onions, Australian, per lb.	.08
Potatoes, local, per sack	$1.50
New Potatoes, four pounds	.25
Cauliflower, each	.15 to .25
Cabbage, local, per lb.	.05
Cabbage, new	.10
Red Cabbage, per lb.	.05
Rhubarb, four pounds	.25
Asparagus, per lb.	.20
Green Peas, 2 lbs.	.25
Beans, per lb.	.15
Egg Plant, per lb.	.25
Tomatoes, per lb.	.20
Cucumbers, each	.15
Dairy Produce.	
Eggs—	
Fresh Island, per dozen	.35
Cheese—	
Canadian, per lb.	.25
Neufchatel, each	.05
Cream, local, each	.10
Butter—	
Manitoba, per lb.	.35
Best dairy, per lb.	.35
Victoria Creamery, per lb.	.35
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.	.35
Common Creamery, per lb.	.35
Chilliwack Creamery, per lb.	.35
Alberni Creamery, per lb.	.35
Fruit.	
Strawberries, per box	.10
Grape Fruit, per dozen	.75
Oranges, per dozen	.25 to .50
Lemons, per dozen	.25
Figs, cooking, per lb.	.08 to .10
Apples, per box	2.00 to 2.25
Bananas, per doz.	.35
Figs, table, per lb.	.25
Raisins, Valencia, per lb.	.15
Raisins, table, per lb.	.25 to .60
Pineapples, each	.40
Cherries, California, per lb.	.25
Cherries, local, per lb.	.15
Peaches, Cal., 2 lbs.	.25
Apricots, Cal., per basket	.50
Plums, Cal., per basket	.50
Melons, Cal., each	.05 to .20
Nuts.	
Walnuts, per lb.	.30
Brazils, per lb.	.30
Almonds, Jordon, per lb.	.75
Almonds, California, per lb.	.30
Cocoanuts, each	.15
Pecans, per lb.	.20
Chestnuts, per lb.	.30
Fish.	
Cod, salted, per lb.	.10 to .13
Halibut, fresh, per lb.	.08 to .10
Halibut, smoked, per lb.	.15
Cod, fresh, per lb.	.06 to .08
Flounders, fresh, per lb.	.06 to .08
Salmon, fresh, white, per lb.	.12½
Salmon, fresh red, per lb.	.15 to .20
Salmon, smoked, per lb.	.20
Oysters, Toke Point, per dozen	.40 to .50
Shrimps, per lb.	.25 to .36
Smelts, per lb.	.05 to .10
Herring, kippered, per lb.	.12½
Finnan Haddie, per lb.	.12½
Smoked Herring	.12½
Crabs, 2 for	.21
Black Bass, per lb.	.06 to .08
Oolichans, salt, per lb.	.12½
Black Cod, salt, per lb.	.12½
Meat and Poultry.	
Beef, per lb.	.03 to .15
Lamb, per lb.	.15 to .25
Mutton, per lb.	.12½ to .20
Lamb, per quarter, fore	1.50 to 1.75
Lamb, per quarter, hind	2.00 to 2.25
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.15 to .18
Geese, dressed, per lb.	.18 to .20
Ducks, dressed, per lb.	.20 to .25
Chickens, per lb.	.25 to .30
Chickens, per lb, live weight	.12½ to .15
Guinea Fowls, each	1.00
Pigeons, dressed, per pair	.50
Rabbits, dressed, each	.50 to .65
Hares, dressed, each	.75
Hams, per lb.	.18 to .20
Bacon, per lb.	.25 to .30
Pork, dressed, per lb.	.12½ to .15

A Heroe's Death.

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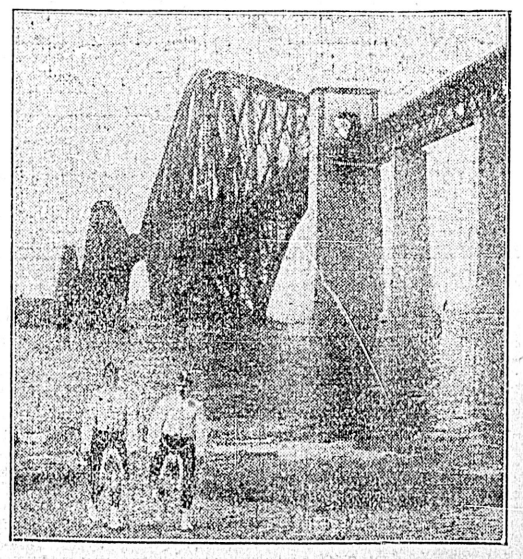

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